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W.P.No.5035 of 2022

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 05.12.2025

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THE HONOURABLE Ms. JUSTICE P.T. ASHA

W.P.No.5035 of 2022

and

WMP.No.5151 of 2022

P.Ashok Kumar

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Chief Electoral Officer and
Principal Secretary to Government
Public (Elections) Department
Secretariat Fort St. George
Chennai 600009

2. The State of Tamil Nadu
Rep by its Principal Secretary to Government
Finance Department Secretariat Fort st. George
Chennai 600009

3. The Election commission of India
Nirvachan Sadan
Ashoka Road
New Delhi 110 001

...Respondents

Prayer:- Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India

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praying for issuance of a writ of Mandamus, forbearing the respondents from outsourcing the key post of system Manager in Public (Elections) Department created as per G.O (1D) No. 233 public (Elections II) Department dated 04.11.2013 based on the directives of Election commission of India and consequently directing the Respondents to continue the service of the petitioner as System Manager on contract basis in the office of Chief Electoral officer in Public (Elections) Department, based on the representation dated 01.03.2022 with all consequential benefits including arrears of salary.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Neduchezhiyan

For Respondents : Mr.P.Ganesan, Govt. Advocate
for R1 & R2.

: Mr.Niranjan Rajagopalan
for R3.

ORDER

The learned counsel for the petitioner seeks permission of this Court to withdraw the above Writ Petition and he has also made an endorsement to that effect.



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2. In view of the submission and endorsement made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, this Writ Petition is dismissed as withdrawn. No costs. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

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Index : Yes/No

Speaking Order: Yes/No

Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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