



W.P.No.11188 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED: 01.04.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE **D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY**

W.P.No.11188 of 2025
and W.M.P.No.12624 of 2025

EX.CISF (CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY FORCE)
MEMBERS WELFARE ASSOCIATION,
NO.48/4, T.A.STREET,
MYLAPORE,
CHENNAI - 600 004,
REP. BY ITS STATE SECRETARY,
P.RAJASEKARAN,
S/O.K.PAVADAI MUDALIAR.

... Petitioner

Vs

1. THE UNION OF INDIA,
REP. BY ITS SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS,
NORTH BLOCK,
NEW DELHI – 110 001.
2. THE DIRECTOR (PERS),
POLICE - II DIVISION, R & W DIRECTORATE,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS,
THIRD FLOOR, JAI SINGH ROAD,
NEW DELHI - 110 001.
3. THE CHAIRMAN,
WELFARE AND REHABILITATION BOARD (WARB),
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS,
ROOM NO.204-205, SECOND FLOOR,
“F” WING, NIRMAN BHAWAN,
NEW DELHI - 110 011.
4. THE DIRECTOR GENERAL,
CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY FORCE,
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS,



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5. THE DIRECTOR GENERAL,
DIRECTORATE GENERAL CENTRAL RESERVE POLICE FORCE,
BLOCK NO.1, C.G.O COMPLEX,
LODHI ROAD,
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6. THE DIRECTOR GENERAL,
INDO TIBETAN BORDER POLICE,
BLOCK NO.2, C.G.O COMPLEX,
LODHI ROAD,
NEW DELHI – 110 003.
7. THE DIRECTOR GENERAL,
BORDER SECURITY FORCE (BSF),
BLOCK NO.10, C.G.O.COMPLEX,
LODHI ROAD,
NEW DELHI - 110 003.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India for the issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the second and third respondents to implement Centralized Liquor Management System (CLMS) in favour of retired Personnel of Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) in accordance with the order of first respondent issued in No.27011/26/2019/Rehabilitation and Welfare dated 04.03.2021, in consideration of representation dated 01.02.2024, 08.05.2024, 03.07.2024 submitted by the petitioner Association within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Sankaran, Senior Counsel
for Mr.S.Nedunchezhiyan

For R1 to R7 : Mr.B.Rabu Manohar (SCGC)



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ORDER

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2. Upon hearing, *Mr.G.Sankaran*, the learned senior counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner and *Mr.B.Rabu Manohar*, the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent and perusing the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition and the material records of the case, the grievance of the petitioner association is that its members include both working and retired officials of the CISF. Earlier, the members enjoyed the facility of purchasing liquor from the canteens which were catering to the needs of the defense personnel. But now, when the centralized liquor management system was introduced, the CISF personnel were excluded. Earlier, the Kerala High Court considered the issue in W.P(C).No. 13691 of 2023 and held that there was justification in the claim of the CISF personnel and directed the respondents to reconsider the issue. The respondents, as a matter of fact, passed an order rejecting the request once again by an order dated 28.06.2024 and the same is again put to challenge before the Kerala High Court, where an interim order was granted directing the authorities to continue the facility,



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which was hitherto provided by the CRPF Canteen. The interim order was passed in W.P(C).No.26101 of 2024.

3. However, when the matter came up for admission, the learned counsel appearing for the respondents pointed out that another person on behalf of the Ex-Servicemen Welfare Association filed W.P.No. 24328 of 2023 and by an order dated 14.11.2024, this Court directed the respondents to consider the issue and pass orders. Accordingly, an order was also passed on 27.03.2025, rejecting the request.

6. Justification is mentioned in paragraphs Nos. 6 and 7 as to why the CISF personnel should not be included. A copy of the said order has also been served on the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner. A policy decision has been taken and an order has been passed. The mandamus, as prayed for in the writ petition, cannot be granted. If the petitioner feels aggrieved by the order dated 27.03.2025, it will be at liberty to challenge the same in the manner known to law.

4. With aforesaid liberty kept open to the petitioner, this writ petition stand dismissed. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.



No costs.

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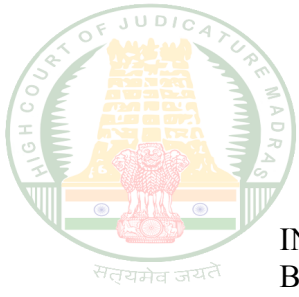
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Neutral Citation: Yes/No
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