



W.P.Nos.15015 of 2024 etc.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED: 24.04.2025

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM
AND
THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE K.RAJASEKAR

W.P.Nos.15015, 15017, 15019, 15034, 15041, 15042,
15043, 15049, 15051 of 2024

Umadevi K	..	Petitioner in WP.15015 of 2024
K.Padma	..	Petitioner in WP.15017 of 2024
A.Parandhamudu	..	Petitioner in WP.15019 of 2024
M.Runithamma	..	Petitioner in WP.15034 of 2024
Mamatha P	..	Petitioner in WP.15041 of 2024
N.Somaiah	..	Petitioner in WP.15042 of 2024
V.Dhanalakshmi	..	Petitioner in WP.15043 of 2024
Ramesh B.V	..	Petitioner in WP.15049 of 2024
Munagari Naresh	..	Petitioner in WP.15051 of 2024

v.

1. The Government of Tamil Nadu
represented by its Secretary
Department of Human Resources Management
Fort St.George
Chennai 600 009
2. The Government of Tamil Nadu
represented by its Secretary
Department of School Education
Fort St.George, Chennai 600 009



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3. The Teachers Recruitment Board
represented by its Chairman
DPI Campus, College Road
Chennai 600 006

4. The Director of Elementary Education
DPI Campus, College Road
Chennai 600 006

.. Respondents in all the W.P's

Petitions filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of a Writ of Declaration, declaring that Section 21-A(1) of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Amendment Act 2023 giving statutory effect to G.O.Ms.No.133 dated 01.12.2021 of the 1st respondent herein in so far as it relates to direct recruitment of teachers from among the candidates belonging to linguistic minorities in Tamil Nadu, by respondents 2 to 4 herein is unconstitutional and consequently direct the respondents herein to restore the provisions of Section 21 of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016, which provided that a candidate selected and appointed, should pass the Second Class Language Test (Full test) in Tamil conducted by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, within a period of two years from the date of appointment failing which he/she will be discharged from service.

For Petitioners :: Mr.A.Mohamed Anish Khan

For Respondents :: Mr.T.Chandrasekaran
Special Government Pleader for R1
Mr.U.M.Ravichandran
Special Government Pleader for
R2 and R4
Mr.R.Neelakandan
Additional Advocate General
assisted by Mr.C.Kathiravan
Special Government Pleader for R3

COMMON ORDER



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(Order of the Court was made by S.M.SUBRAMANIAM,J.)

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The learned counsel for petitioners seeks to withdraw the writ petitions and he has also made an endorsement to that effect. Accordingly, the writ petitions are dismissed as withdrawn. No costs.

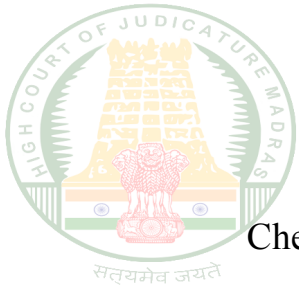
Index : yes/no
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(S.M.S.,J.) (K.R.S.,J.)
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