



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 05-06-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.KUMARAPPAN

WP No. 17988 of 2025

N.Devarajan

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1.The State Of Tamil Nadu
Rep. By its Principal Secretary
Department Of School Education,
Fort St George, Chennai.

2.The Director Of Elementary Education
DPI Campus College Road,
Chennai.

3.The District Educational Officer (Elementary)
Salem District.

4.Block Educational Officer-II
Mecheri,
Salem District.

Respondent(s)

PRAYER

Call for records pertaining to the proceedings in Na.Ka No.1325/A4/2024 dated



20.01.2025 passed by the 4th respondent and quash the same as illegal and unsustainable, consequently direct the respondents to fix the pay scale by including the past service rendered in aided school namely CSI Darling Selvabai David High School for Deaf, Manamadurai, Sivagangai District and to grant arrears of salary including increment.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.Selvin Rajesh J

For Respondent(s): Mrs.S.Mythreye Chandru
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

The instant writ petition has been filed to reckon the petitioner's earlier service rendered in the aided school, namely CSI Darling Selvabai David High School for Deaf, Manamadurai, Sivagangai District.

2. Although the services of the petitioner was regularised in his earlier appointment on 01.11.2023, he was subsequently recruited as Secondary Grade Assistant through Teacher Recruitment Board (TRB) by way of a direct recruitment.

3. The grievance of the petitioner is that his past services were not reckoned for fixing his salary and other entitlements after joining as a



Secondary Grade Teacher.

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4. In this connection, the learned Special Government Pleader appearing on behalf of the respondents would invite the attention of this Court that the rejection order, which denied the petitioner's claim on the ground that the petitioner was treated as a direct recruit, as he was selected through a Public Service Commission, such rejection aligns with Fundamental Rule 22. Accordingly, there is no violation of the Fundamental Rules, while rejecting the claim.

5. In view of the above discussion, this Court finds no merits in this case and the Writ Petition stands dismissed. No costs.

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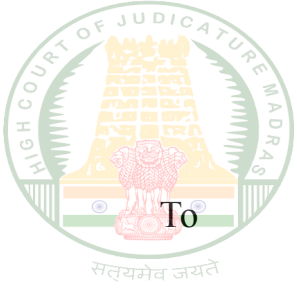
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