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W.P.No.33418 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 23.07.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.KUMARAPPAN

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And

W.M.P.No.36202 of 2024

R.Venkatesan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Secretary to Government,
Highways (HM-2) Department,
Fort St.George,
Chennai – 9.

2.The Chief Engineer,
Highways Research Centre,
H.R.S.Campus, Guindy,
Chennai – 25.

3.The Divisional Engineer,
Highways C & M, Near VIT,
Vellakkalmedu – 632 014,
Thiruvalam Road,
Katpadi,
Vellore District.

... Respondents

Prayer:

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus calling for the entire records relating to the impugned order passed by the third respondent in his



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Letter No.1354/2022/B3, dated 24.09.2024 and quash the same and consequently directing the respondents to calculate the terminal benefits for the Notional Promotion post of Cleaner / Mechanical Grade-II together with interest from date of retirement on and from 31.12.2014 to the petitioner.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Prakasam
For Respondents : Mr.R.U.Dinesh Rajkumar
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner has filed this writ petition seeking issuance of Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus calling for the entire records relating to the impugned order passed by the third respondent in his Letter No.1354/2022/B3, dated 24.09.2024 and quash the same and consequently directing the respondents to calculate the terminal benefits for the notional promotion post of Cleaner / Mechanical Grade-II together with interest from date of retirement on and from 31.12.2014 to the petitioner.

2.Today, when the matter was taken up, the learned Additional Government Pleader would invite the attention of this Court about the writ appeal filed in W.A.No.860 of 2013 and Review Application No.65 of 2014 by and in which the similar relief sought for in the present writ



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petition was already rejected. Having suffered an order, the petitioner came up with the present writ petition which is liable to be condemned.

3.However, the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner seeks leave of this Court to withdraw the writ petition.

4.In view of the submission made by the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, the present writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Index: Yes/ No
Speaking Order: Yes/ No
NCC: Yes/ No

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