



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 06-11-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE G.K. ILANTHIRAIYAN

WP No. 41622 of 2025

Mallika
W/o. Chinnapaiyan,
1/1196, Agri Nagar, TNHB, Quarters,
Vennampatti, Lakkampatti,
Dharmapuri-636 705

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The District Collector
Office Of The District Educational
Officer, Dharmapuri -635 501

2.The Block Educational Officer
Office Of The Block Educational
Officer, Nallampalli, Dhamapuri -636
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Respondent(s)

PRAYER:- Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India for the
issuance of Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to call for the records order



passed by the 1st Respondent in vide impugned order R.C. No.206/A6/2022 dated 28.05.2025 U/s. 17 (e) (2) of Tamilnadu Civil Service (Disciplinary and Appeal) rules and quash the same and further directing the Respondents to release the retirement benefits and pension of the petitioner from the date of retirement

For Petitioner: Mr.V.Balamurugan

For Respondent: Mrs.S.Mythreye Chandru,
Special Govt. Pleader for R1 and R2

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed challenging the impugned order dated 28.05.2025 passed by the 1st respondent, thereby placed the petitioner under suspension and the petitioner was not permitted to retire from service.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and perused the materials available on record.

3. The petitioner had worked as a Graduate Teacher (BT Assistant) in English at Government PUMS, Nadappanahalli, Dharmapuri District and attained the age of superannuation on 31.05.2025. During the service, she was involved in a criminal proceedings initiated under Sec.138 of Negotiable Instruments Act in C.C.No.14 of 2018, wherein after completion of trial, she



was convicted and sentenced to undergo four months simple imprisonment and ordered to pay compensation of Rs.2,90,000/- within two months. Aggrieved by the same, she had preferred Criminal Appeal and the same was also dismissed by confirming the order passed by the trial court. Challenging the same, the petitioner filed a Criminal Revision Petition before this court and the same is pending. While so, she had also involved in another criminal case initiated under Sec.138 of Negotiable Instruments Act in S.T.C.No. 4 of 2025 on the file of Judicial Magistrate, Dharmapuri. So, in pursuant to the order of conviction, the petitioner was not permitted to retire from service and she was suspended from service. Now, she was also served on with the charge memo dated 24.10.2025 and it is pending for enquiry. In view of the above, the revocation of suspension of the petitioner cannot be considered and this Writ Petition is liable to be dismissed. However, the enquiry authority is directed to complete the disciplinary proceedings and pass final orders within a period of six months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. In the result, this Writ Petition stands dismissed. No costs.

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Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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2.The Block Educational Officer

Office Of The Block Educational Officer, Nallampalli,
Dhamapuri -636 807

3. The Public Prosecutor, High Court, Madras.



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