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W.P.No.44333 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 18.11.2025

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

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and

W.M.P.No.49456 of 2025

C.Vijayabhrathi

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The State Government
Rep.by its Secretary,
Department of Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection,
St.George Fort, Secretariat,
Chennai-600 009

2.The Registrar of Co-operative Societies
EVR Maaligai, Kilpauk,
Chennai-600010

3.The Chairman
District Recruitment Bureau,
Perambalur District.
O/o.The Joint Registrar of Co-operative Societies,
District Collector Campus,
Perambalur-621 116

4.The Administrator
R.606, Eraiyur Primary Agricultural,Co-operative Credit Society Ltd,
Eraiyur Post, Veppanthattai Taluk,
Perambalur District

5.The Administrator
R. 1033 Vayalur Primary Agricultural, Co-operative Credit Society Ltd,
Vayalur, Perambalur

... Respondents



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Prayer : Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 2 to 5 to prepare and issue an approved panel for promotion to the post of Assistant for the year 2024-2025 and give promotion to them on seniority basis, as per revised guidelines for direct appointment to the post of Junior Assistant and above issued by the 2nd respondent and until such time the selection process started in pursuance of notification No.01/2025 dated 06.08.2025 for direct appointment to the post of Assistant issued by the 3rd respondent may be kept in abeyance.

For Petitioner	: Mr.S.Pushpakaran
For R1 & R2	: Mr.R.U.Dinesh Rajkumar Additional Government Pleader
For R4 & R5	: Mr.R.Siddharth

ORDER

This Writ petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondents 2 to 5 to prepare and issue an approved panel for promotion to the post of Assistant for the year 2024-2025.

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

3.The petitioner is working as a Salesman in the Fair Price Shop run by the fourth respondent Co-operative Society. The petitioner does not fall



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within the zone of consideration for promotion to the post of Assistant/Junior Assistant. Further, whenever the vacancy arises and if the petitioner is otherwise eligible, his case will be considered for promotion to the post of Assistant/Junior Assistant.

4.In view of the above, the representation submitted by the petitioner cannot be considered at this stage. Hence, the writ petition lacks merit and is liable to be dismissed. Accordingly, this Writ Petition stands dismissed. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed. No costs.

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Index : Yes/No
Speaking Order : Yes/No
Neutral Citation : Yes / No
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