



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 22.05.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

W.P.(MD)No.14593 of 2025

P.Ramu

... Petitioner

Vs

- 1.The Principal Secretary to Government,
Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department,
Secretariat,
St.George Fort, Chennai.
- 2.The Director of Town Panchayats/
Commissioner of Town Panchayats,
75, Urban Administrative Building,
7th & 8th Floor, Santhome High Road,
3, MRC Nagar,
Raja Annamalaipuram,
Chennai - 600 028.
3. The District Collector,
Kanyakumari District,
Nagercoil.
- 4.The Assistant Director of Town Panchayats,
Collectorate Complex,
Nagercoil,
Kanyakumari District.
- 5.D.Pankairselvi,
Working as Executive Officer (Selection Grade),
Thirukattupalli Town Panchayat,
Thanjavur Region,
Thanjavur District.



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6.M.Ealilarasi,
Working as Executive Officer (Selection Grade),
Oodukathur Town Panchayat,
Velloor Region,
Velloor District.

7.G.Tamilmani,
Working as Executive Officer (Selection Grade),
Melagaram Town Panchayat,
Tirunelveli Region,
Tenkasi District.

...Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a **writ of Mandamus**, directing the respondents to promote the petitioner as Selection Grade Executive Officer from 25.07.2024 as per the Seniority List dated 18.01.2024 and consequently directing the respondents to give placement at the appropriate place on par with his immediate Juniors respondents 5 to 7 with all monetary and service benefits considering the petitioner's representation dated 19.11.2024 & 17.04.2025.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sivasudhan

For Respondents : Mr.J.K.Jayaseelan
Government Advocate for R1 to R4

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ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed seeking a mandamus directing the respondents to promote the petitioner as a Selection Grade Executive Officer based upon the seniority list dated 18.01.2024.



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2.This Court is not inclined to issue any positive directions. However, the second respondent is directed to consider the representation of the writ petitioner dated 19.11.2024, and pass orders on merits and in accordance with law within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

3.With the above said observations, this Writ Petition stands disposed of.

No costs.

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NCC : Yes/No
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R.VIJAYAKUMAR, J.

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