



W.P(MD)No.24538 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 10.09.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE K.KUMARESH BABU

W.P(MD)No.24538 of 2025

and

W.M.P(MD)No.19266 of 2025

The Principal & Secretary,
Lady Doak College,
Madurai-625 002,
Madurai District.

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by its Secretary,
Department of Higher Education,
Fort St. George, Chennai-600 009.
- 2.The Director of Collegiate Education,
College Road, Chennai-600 006.
- 3.The Joint Director of Collegiate Education,
Madurai Region, Madurai-625 001.
- 4.Madurai Kamaraj University,
Represented by its Registrar,
Palkalai Nagar, Madurai-625 021.

... Respondents

PRAYER : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the



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fourth respondent University to give qualification approval forthwith to the appointment of E.Joanita Ranjini as Assistant Professor (Psychology) in the petitioner college with effect from 01.08.2025 and pass such other or further orders as this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Ragatheesh Kumar

For R-1 to R-3 : Mr.N.Satheesh Kumar
Additional Government Pleader

For R-4 : Mr.T.Sakthikumaran

ORDER

The present Writ Petition has been filed seeking for a direction to direct the fourth respondent University to give qualification approval forthwith to the appointment of E.Joanita Ranjini as Assistant Professor (Psychology) in the petitioner college with effect from 01.08.2025.

2. Considering the fact that the application of the petitioner Institution seeking approval of its qualification has been kept pending by the fourth respondent, there shall be a direction to the fourth respondent to dispose of the application made by the petitioner Institution for the grant of qualification approval on merits and in accordance with law,



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within a period of four (4) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

3. The writ petition stands disposed of with the above direction.

There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous Petition stands closed.

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NCC : Yes / No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes
BTR

To

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