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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 28-10-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE KRISHNASWAMY GOVINDARAJAN

WP Nos.24357 & 25665 of 2010

WP No.24357/2010

CNR:{HCMA010197922010}

1. T.Visvesiah
2. S.Mazuruddin
3. S.Abdul Rahim
4. K.Jayarajulu
5. A.Subramani
6. A.Mani
7. N.Venkatesan
8. G.Bhoopathy
9. J.Theagaraj
10. G.Venkataswamy
11. A.Narasimhan
12. S.Gopalakrishnan
13. S.Lakshminarayanan
14. S.Veerasamy
15. K.Ramamurthi
16. S.Radhakrishnan
17. E.Gunalan
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19. M.Vasantha Kumar

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20.M.Madhukar
21.V.Rajaram
22.M.Venkatesan
23.Tajuddin Adhmed
24.K.Khader Sherif

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Secretary to Government of India,
   Ministry of Shipping,
   Transport Bhavan, No.1, Parliament Street,
   New Delhi-110 001.

2. The Chairman,
   Chennai Port Trust,
   Chennai. ..Respondent(s)

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for records on the file of 2nd respondent dated 17.09.2010 in AO (Pension) VRS/2010/F and quash the same and consequently direct the 1st respondent to grant service weightage as per 48-B of Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules 1972 and revise the Pension and grant all arrears of pension along with enhanced pension on considering the appeal dated 25.09.2010.

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2. P.T.Kannan
3. V.R.Janakiraman
4. V.Prabhakar
5. T.Veeraraghavan
6. S.Kumar
7. A.Mangaiah
8. S.Jayavelu
9. Alagiri
10. S.Krishnan
11. M.Damodaran
12. K.Murali
13. K.Kanthamma
14. S.Venkata Rama Sarma
15. S.Mani
16. C.Venkatesh Bindu
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18. S.Ushamala
19. P.Ravisankar
20. K.Subramanian
21. Abdul Rahman
22. S.Kuppuswamy

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23.M.Ashkar Ali

24.D.Selvam

25.P.S.Ponnambalam

26.N.Subramani

27.B.Raghupathy

28.G.Deivasigamani

29.A.Perumal

30.R.Manivannan

31.C.Kandeepan

32.V.Suryanaryanan

33.D.Arumugam

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2. The Chairman,
Chennai Port Trust, Chennai.

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to grant service weightage as per 48-B of Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules 1972 and revise the Pension and grant all arrears of pension along with enhanced Pension on considering the representation dated 10.10.2010.

In both WPs

For Petitioner(s): Ms.T.Aananthi

For Respondent(s): Mr.Venkataswamy Babu,
SPC, Government of India (for R1)

Mr.R.Karthikeyan (for R2)

COMMON ORDER

These writ petitions have been preferred seeking direction to the respondents to grant service weightage to the petitioners in terms of Rule 48-B of the Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972, and consequently revise their pensionary benefits and disburse all arrears of pension along with the enhanced pension.

2. When the matters were taken up for hearing today, it is submitted

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by the Senior Panel Counsel appearing on behalf of the 1st respondent that the identical legal issue involved in the present writ petitions was subject to adjudication before the Kerala High Court in ***W.A.No.1950 of 2005***. By judgment ***dated 18.03.2010*** in the matter of ***The Chairman, Cochin Port Trust & Cochin Dock Labour Board Vs. K.V.A. Iyer & another***, the Full Bench of the Kerala High Court decided the issue. Aggrieved by the said judgment, the Chairman, Cochin Port Trust preferred a Special Leave Petition before the Hon'ble Supreme Court, which was subsequently converted into Civil Appeal No.5309 of 2011. It is further submitted that the said Civil Appeal No.5309 of 2011 is currently pending final adjudication before the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

3. Since the relief claimed by the writ petitioners herein is connected with the outcome of the litigation pending before the Apex Court, these writ petitions can be presently closed.

4. Accordingly, both the writ petitions are disposed of, with liberty to the writ petitioners to approach this Court and reopen these petitions in the

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event a favourable order is passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Civil Appeal No.5309 of 2011. No costs. Connected miscellaneous petitions, if any, are closed.

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