



W.P.No.6673 of 2026 etc

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS**

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**DATED : 26.02.2026**

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI**

**W.P.Nos. 6673, 6675 & 6679 of 2026**

M.Sivakami ... Petitioner in WP.No.6673 of 2026  
D.Selvi Sarojini Bai ... Petitioner in W.P.No.6675 of 2026  
A.Leela ... Petitioner in W.P.No.6679 of 2026

Vs.

1.The State of Tamil Nadu,  
Rep. By its Secretary to Government,  
Human Resources Management Department,  
Secretariat, Fort St.George,  
Chennai – 600009. ... 1<sup>st</sup> respondent in all petitions

2.The State of Tami Nadu,  
Rep. By its Secretary to Government,  
Health and Family Welfare Department,  
Secretariat, Fort St.George,  
Chennai – 600009.  
.... 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent in W.P.No.6673 & 6675 of 2026

2.The Secretary,  
Tamil Nadu Information Commmission,  
Block No.19, Government Farm Village,  
Panepet, Nandanam, Chennai – 600 035.  
... 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent in W.P.No.6679 of 2026



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**Common Prayer :** Writ Petitions filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the first respondent to cause the competent authority to grant post upgradation with pay to the petitioners on par with the petitioners' junior in the Finance Department, in implementation of G.O.Ms.No.31, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (U.Spl) Department, dated 01.03.2017 and Government U.O.Note No.37433/U.Spl/2013-33, P&AR Department, dated 04.07.2017, taking note of the orders passed in Contempt Petition No.2233 of 2018 dated 08.12.2023 and W.P.No.39956 of 2025 dated 25.10.2025.

For Petitioners : Mr.A.R.Nixon in all petitions  
For Respondents : Mr.K.Tippu Sulthan  
Government Advocate in all petitions

### **C O M M O N O R D E R**

These writ petitions have been filed to direct the first respondent to issue suitable directions to the Coompetent Authority to grant post upgradation with pay to the petitioners on par with the petitioners' junior in the Finance Department, in implementation of G.O.Ms.No.31, Personnel and



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2. Without expressing any opinion on merits of the writ petitions, the first respondent is directed to issue directions to the Competent Authority to consider the case of the petitioners and pass orders on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

3. With the above direction, these writ petitions are disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

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NCC: Yes / No  
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Speaking Order : Yes / No  
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