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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 12-03-2026

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THE HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE P.T. ASHA

**WP No. 9539 of 2026
AND
WMP NO. 10277 OF 2026**

G.Premkumar

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The University Grants commission
Bahadur Sha Zafar Marg,
New Delhi 110 002
Alternative office,
No 35 Feroze shah road, New Delhi 110 001
2. The Dean
College of Engineering and Technology,
SRM Institute of Science and Technology
(SRMIST),
Kattankulathru, Chengalpattu District,
Tamil nadu 603 203

..Respondent(s)

Prayer:- Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the constitution of India praying for issuance of a writ of certiorarified mandamus Call for the records with respect to the impugned Email dated 25.05.2023 issued by the 2nd respondent and quash the same and directing the 2nd respondent to reinstate the petitioner as an Assistant Professor in the Civil Engineering Department without insisting for Mandatory completion of Ph. D., Degree with all back wages with interest.



For Petitioner(s): Mr.B.S.Sundaramoorthy

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ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed for the following reliefs:-

“Call for the records with respect to the impugned Email dated 25.05.2023 issued by the 2nd respondent and quash the same and directing the 2nd respondent to reinstate the petitioner as an Assistant Professor in the Civil Engineering Department without insisting for Mandatory completion of Ph. D., Degree with all back wages with interest.”

2. The petitioner seeks to quash an e-mail issued by the 2nd respondent dated 25.05.2023 and also seeks a direction directing the 2nd respondent to reinstate him in service. However, the 2nd respondent is a private college and is not amenable to the writ jurisdiction under Article 226 of the Constitution of India. As the relief sought for is against the 2nd respondent, a private institution, the writ petition is not maintainable.

3. Accordingly, the writ petition is dismissed as not maintainable. No costs. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

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Index: Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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