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W.P.No.6444 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 26.11.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE **G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN**

W.P.No.6444 of 2024 and
WMP.Nos.7162 & 28457 of 2024

S.Muralidharan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.THE TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER,
EZHILAGAM, P.W.D. ESTATE, CHEPAUK, TRIPLICANE,
CHENNAI-600 005.

2.THE REGIONAL TRANSPORT OFFICER,
OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL TRANSPORT OFFICER,
MASTER PLAN COMPLEX, THENI-625 531 ... Respondents

PRAYER:

Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India
praying to issue a Writ of Certiorari to call for the records relating to the
impugned charge memo issued by the 1st respondent in proceedings
memo R.No. 40591/ VA2/ 2019 dated 16.02.2024 and quash the same

For Petitioner : Mr.A.S.Balaji

For Respondents : Mr.V.Jeevagiridharan,
Additional Government Pleader



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ORDER

This writ petition has been filed challenging the charge memo dated 16.02.2024 on the file of the first respondent.

2. The petitioner while working as Personal Assistant to Regional Transport Officer, Theni, the Regional Transport Officer purchased a property mentioning the petitioner's name as her husband. Therefore, the petitioner was charged with charge of bigamy.

3. Though the petitioner has raised several grounds to quash the charge memo, all the grounds are pertaining to facts and it can be proved only before enquiry officer during the domestic enquiry. That apart, the petitioner attained age of superannuation and he was not permitted to retire from service.

4. In view of the above, this Court finds no infirmity or illegality in the charge memo. As such, this writ petition is liable to be dismissed. However, the respondents are directed to pass appropriate orders to permit the petitioner to retire from service in the light of

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GO.ms.No.47 Human Resources Management FR(III) Department dated

29.08.2025, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of this order.

5. With the above direction, this writ petition is dismissed.

Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed. There shall be no order as to costs.

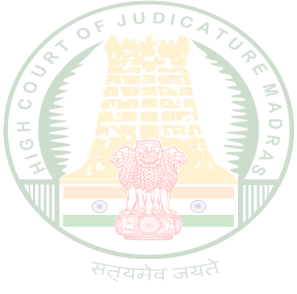
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