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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 28-04-2026

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

W.P. No. 15936 of 2026

and W.M.P.No.17158 of 2026

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S/o.T.Easwaran Pillai, No.5, 1, Floor Wimco Nagar,
T.H.Road, Thiruvotriyur, Chennai 600 019.

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Chief Engineer,
Personal Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution
Corporation (TANGEDCO) Ltd., O/o.The Chief
Engineer, Personal 144, Anna Salai, Chennai 600
002.
2. The Superintending Engineer,
Personal Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution
Corporation (TANGEDCO) Ltd., O/o.The
Superintending Engineer, EDC /North ICF,
Colony, Villivakkam, 144, Anna Salai, Chennai
600 038.
3. The Executive Engineer,
Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribuion
Corporation (TANGEDCO) Ltd., CEDC /North,
Tondiarpet, Chennai 600 021.

..Respondent(s)



Calling for the records in pursuant to 1st respondents impugned order in Memo No.011515 / G1 /11 /2025 -10 dated 17/02/2026 and quash the same as illegal and consequentially direct the 1st respondent to promote the petitioner to the post of Asst. Executive Engineer on par with his junior in the panel year 2023-2024 within time stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner(s): Mr. R. Subburaj

For Respondent(s): Mr. K.Raj Kumar, Standing Counsel

ORDER

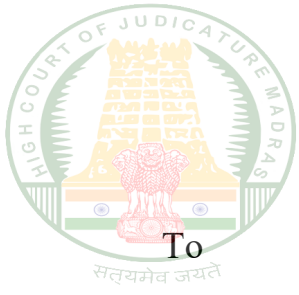
Mr.K.Raj Kumar, learned Standing Counsel takes notice on behalf of the respondents and seeks time to file a counter affidavit.

2. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, I find that *prima facie* case has been made out by the petitioner for the grant of interim relief and balance of convenience also lies in favour of the petitioner. Therefore, there shall be an order of interim stay.

3. Post the matter “for filing counter” and “for orders” **on 09.06.2026.**

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