

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CIVIL APPEAL NO(S).2060-2061 OF 2012

THE MADRAS PORT TRUST DIPLOMA
ENGINEERS ASSOCIATION
Appellant(s)

VERSUS

THE MADRAS PORT TRUST PART
TIME DEGREE ENGINEERS'
ASSOCIATION AND ORS.

Respondent(s)

WITH

CIVIL APPEAL No. 479 OF 2013

ORDER

Civil Appeal Nos.2060-2061/2012

1. After hearing learned counsel for the parties, we do not find any error in the impugned judgment dated 08.09.2011 of the High Court¹ prescribing the quota for promotion from the post of Assistant Engineer (Class II) coming from two different channels, to the post of Assistant Executive Engineer (Class I).

2. Prior to the changes made in the cadre on 26.12.1983, the quota fixed for promotion to the post of Executive Engineer from two different channels was in the ratio of 1:4 for Diploma holders as

1 High Court of Judicature at Madras

against Degree holders. The same was followed subsequently.

3. The Civil Appeals are, accordingly, dismissed.

4. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

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5. In the present appeal, the impugned order dated 25.09.2012 was passed by the High Court in Contempt Petition No.1163 of 2012, filed by the degree holders seeking implementation of the judgment dated 08.09.2011 of the High Court, which was subject matter of C.A.No(s).2060-2061 of 2012. However, on account of pendency of aforesaid appeal before this Court, the contempt was closed by the High Court. As the appeal(s) itself has been decided, no further order is required to be passed in the present appeal.

6. The Civil Appeal, accordingly, stands disposed of.

7. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

.....,J
[RAJESH BINDAL]

.....,J
[ATUL S. CHANDURKAR]

NEW DELHI;
FEBRUARY 18, 2026.

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RECORD OF PROCEEDINGSCivil Appeal Nos.2060-2061/2012MADRAS PORT TRUST DIPLOMA ENGINEER ASSO.
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MADRAS P.TRUST P.T.DEG.ENGR.ASSO. AND ORS.

Respondent(s)

[REMAIN IN BOARD]

WITH

C.A. No. 479/2013 (XII-B)

Date : 18-02-2026 These appeals were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

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The Civil Appeals are, accordingly,
dismissed in terms of the signed order.

Pending application(s), if any, shall also
stand disposed of.

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The Civil appeal accordingly, stands
disposed of in terms of the signed order.

Pending application(s), if any, shall also
stand disposed of.

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SENIOR PERSONAL ASSISTANT

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{Signed order is placed on file}