

HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE D. RAMESH

WRIT PETITION No.9896 of 2012

ORDER:

This writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking to declare the action of the respondents in not issuing the call letters to the petitioners for the purpose of pole climbing and meter reading tests to be conducted from 09.4.2012 to 11.4.2012 for the post of Juni-ro Lineman, though the petitioners have applied for the said post, in pursuance of the notification dt.14.12.2011, as being illegal, arbitrary and consequently to grant the relief.

2. Considering the submissions made by the petitioners at the admission stage on 09.4.2012, the Hon'ble Court has passed the following order:

“...In the circumstances, subject to further orders, if any, to be passed by this Court, the respondents are directed to allow the petitioners, on par with the other candidates, to attend the pole climbing and meter readings tests, to be held from 09.4.2012 to 11.4.2012”.

3. In the identical cases as against the orders of the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.No.8794 of 2007 and batch, the respondents have filed Writ Appeal and the same was allowed on 14.03.2012 with the following order:

“No Contract Labour or fresh candidate is entitled to claim any sort of exemption with regard to Age, Educational qualifications, Technical Qualifications, pass in Pole Climbing

Test etc., for consideration of their cases for appointment to the post of Junior Lineman on yearly contract basis”.

4. In view of the observation made by the Division Bench of this Court, there are no merits in this case. Accordingly, this writ petition is dismissed. No costs.

Miscellaneous petitions pending if any, shall stand closed.

Dated: 06.4.2021
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