

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE V.G.ARUN

THURSDAY, THE 22ND DAY OF DECEMBER 2022 / 1ST POUSHA, 1944

WP (C) NO. 41472 OF 2022

PETITIONERS:

- 1 ADITHYA KRISHNA D S,
AGED 17 YEARS
(MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER FATHER AND LEGAL GUARDIAN
DINESH KUMAR V, SOPANAM HOUSE, MULAKKALATHU KAAVU P O.,
KILIMANOOR, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 614
- 2 RUBY A S,
AGED 17 YEARS (MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER MOTHER AND
LEGAL GUARDIAN SHYLA BEEVI, SS HOUSE, VETTUVILA,
THUMPOD, KALLARA P O, THIRUVANATHAPURAM-695 608
- 3 ANUPRIYA A P,
AGED 17 YEARS (MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER MOTHER AND
LEGAL GUARDIAN PREETHA ANIL, RAVIRATHNAM, KARUVAYAL,
VAMANAPURAM, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 606
- 4 PAVITHRA P S,
AGED 17 YEARS (MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER MOTHER AND
LEGAL GUARDIAN SINDHU, REVATHY BHAVAN, VAMANAPURAM,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 606
- 5 ALFI N N,
AGED 17 YEARS (MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER MOTHER AND
LEGAL GUARDIAN NASEELA M, N A MANZIL, MOTTAKKUZHY,
CHARUPARA P O, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 601
- 6 ABHIRA RAJESH,
AGED 16 YEARS (MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER FATHER AND
LEGAL GUARDIAN RAJESH BABU R R, SREEKRISHNAN BHAVAN,
ANAKUDI PO, VAMANAPURAM, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 606
- 7 BHAGYA B,
AGED 17 YEARS (MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER MOTHER AND
LEGAL GUARDIAN BINDIYA K, SAVITRI BHAVAN,
PUTHUMANGALAM, MULAKALATHUKAVU P O, KILIMANOOR,

THIRUVANANTHAPURAM- 695 614

- 8 S S SHERIN,
AGED 17 YEARS, (MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER FATHER AND
LEGAL GUARDIAN SIBI,
GAZHAL, THATTATHUMALA P O, THIRUVANTHAPURAM-695 614
- 9 PAVITHRA MANOJ,
AGED 17 YEARS (MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER MOTHER AND
LEGAL GUARDIAN SARITHA, SARITHA BHAVAN, MATHAYIL,
VELLALLOOR PO, KILIMANOR, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 601
- 10 HARITHEERDHA H,
AGED 16 YEARS (MINOR) REPRESENTED BY HER MOTHER AND
LEGAL GUARDIAN JYOLSNA S, NILAVU, MANALETHUPACHA,
THATTATHUMALA P O, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM- 695 614
-PETITIONER 1 TO 10 ARE MINORS REPRESENTED BY THE
FATHER OF 1ST PETITIONER ON BEHALF OF THE OTHER
PETITIONERS ALSO
- BY ADV P.A.MUJEEB

RESPONDENTS:

- 1 DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS
DIRECTORATE OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS, JAGATHY,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 014
- 2 THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION,
DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL EDUCATION, THIRUVANATHAPURAM-695
036

OTHER PRESENT:

GP P.S.APPU

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 22.12.2022, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE
FOLLOWING:**

V.G.ARUN J.

W.P.(C) No. 41472 of 2022

Dated this the 22nd day of December 2022

JUDGMENT

The petitioners team had participated for the item Oppana in the Thiruvananthapuram District School Kalolsavam. The team secured third position with A Grade. Dissatisfied with the result, the petitioners preferred an appeal alleging that the members of the first and second place teams had collided with each other during their performance, but the judges ignored the mistakes. If the marks were awarded correctly, the petitioners team would have secured first place. The appeal having been rejected, this writ petition is filed.

2. Learned Counsel for the petitioners submitted that, other than informing the petitioners that the appeal is rejected, no detailed order was passed.

3. Learned Government Pleader made available a copy of the report based on which the appeal was rejected. The report reveals that all technical aspects of the performance was considered by the Appeal Committee while watching the video recording of the team's performance. Hence, I find the challenge against the award of marks to

be unsustainable.

In the result, the writ petition is dismissed.

Sd/-

**V.G.ARUN
JUDGE**

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APPENDIX OF WP (C) 41472/2022

PETITIONER EXHIBITS

Exhibit P1	COPY OF THE RESULT DECLARED ON 24/11/2022 AT KERALA SCHOOL KALOLSAVAM FOR OPPANA GROUP DANCE
Exhibit P2	COPY OF THE APPEAL APPLICATION DATED 24/11/2022
Exhibit P3	COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL EDUCATION DATED 09/12/2018
Exhibit P4	COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL EDUCATION DATED 01/12/2019
Exhibit P5	COPY OF THE RELEVANT PAGES OF APPEAL LIST ISSUED BY THE REVENUE DISTRICT SCHOOL KALOLSAVAM 2022-23