# IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE BECHU KURIAN THOMAS TUESDAY, THE  $18^{\text{TH}}$  DAY OF JUNE 2024 / 28TH JYAISHTA, 1946

OP(CRL.) NO. 457 OF 2024

AGAINST THE ORDER/JUDGMENT DATED IN CC NO.265 OF 2024 OF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE OF FIRST CLASS, AMBALAPUZHA

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#### PETITIONER/ACCUSED NO.3:

ANANTHU KRISHNAN
AGED 26 YEARS
S/O. UNNIKRISHNAN, ALUMPARAMB HOUSE,
VADACKAL P.O., WARD NO.14,
PUNNAPRA NORTH PANCHAYATH,
ALAPPUZHA., PIN - 688 003.
BY ADVS.
B.PRAMOD
ATHUL M.V.

#### **RESPONDENT/COMPLAINANT:**

STATE OF KERALA REP.BY THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM., PIN - 682 031.

SRI. NOUSHAD K. A. (PP)

THIS OP (CRIMINAL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 18.06.2024, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

Dated this the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2024

#### **JUDGMENT**

Petitioner seeks for an expeditious disposal of C.C.No.265/2024 pending on the files of the Judicial First Class Magistrate Court, Ambalappuzha; on the contention that he has been included in the rank list of the Kerala Public Service Commission for the post of Statistics Assistant Grade-II/Statistics Investigator Grade-II and also for the post of Police Constable (Armed Police Battalion).

- 2. The Supreme Court has time and again observed that the constitutional Courts must in the ordinary course restrain itself from issuing directions for a time bound disposal of cases pending before the trial courts. [Reference to the decision High Court Bar Association, Allahabad v. State of UP & others 2024 INSC 150 is appropriate]. If a direction is issued by this Court, it will be overlooking the priority of other cases. Therefore, the relief sought for is only to be declined.
- 3. However, if any request for an out of turn priority is sought for

by petitioner, the learned Magistrate will be at liberty to consider the request, notwithstanding the disinclination of this Court to issue any directions in that regard.

With the above observations, this original petition is dismissed.

sd/-BECHU KURIAN THOMAS JUDGE

AMV/18/06/2024

## APPENDIX OF OP(CRL.) 457/2024

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### PETITIONER EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT P-1	A TRUE COPY OF THE CHARGE SHEET SUBMITTED IN CRIME NO. 20/2024 OF PUNNAPRA POLICE STATION, ALAPPUZHA DISTRICT.
EXHIBIT P-2	A TRUE COPY OF THE BSC DEGREE CERTIFICATE ISSUED TO THE PETITIONER BY THE KERALA UNIVERSITY.
EXHIBIT P-3	A TRUE COPY OF THE RELEVANT PAGES OF THE RANK LIST PUBLISHED FOR THE POST OF STATISTICS ASSISTANT GRADE-II/ STATISTICS INVESTIGATOR GRADE-II.
EXHIBIT P-4	A TRUE COPY OF THE RANKED LIST FOR THE POST OF POLICE CONSTABLE (ARMED POLICE BATTALION).
EXHIBIT P-5	A TRUE COPY OF THE PRINTOUT OF THE STATUS OF THE C.C.NO.265/2024 ON THE FILE OF JFCM COURT, AMBALAPPUZHA UPLOADED IN THE E COURTS WEB SITE.

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