



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 16-10-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR

WMP Nos. 30963 & 12078 of 2026

in

W.P.No.11117 of 2026

T.Prakash
Assistant,
A.D.J.Dharmabal Polytechnic College,
Nagapattinam- 611 001.

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Commissioner
The Directorate of Technical Education
Guindy, Chennai-025.
2. The Chairman / Treasurer
ADJ Dharmambal Polytechnic College,
Nagapattinam- 611 001.
3. The Principal, (in-Charge)
ADJ Dharmambal Polytechnic College,
Nagapattinam- 611 001.

..Respondent(s)

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To direct the respondents herein to pay subsistence allowance to the petitioner from 11.03.2026 to 30.06.2026 and continue to pay the same till the order of suspension is revoked and pass.

be fixed by this Honble Court

W.M.P.No.12078 of 2026

To grant interim stay of the impugned order of suspension passed by the 2nd respondent in Letter no.NIL, dated 11.03.2026, and all further proceedings pending disposal of the writ petition.

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For Petitioner(s):

S.N.Ravichandran

For Respondent(s):

Mr.M.R.Gohul Krishnan, AGP

Order

The main writ petition has been filed challenging the order dated 11.03.2026 whereby the petitioner was placed under suspension while he was working as Assistant in the 3rd respondent College. As the petitioner has not been paid any subsistence allowance, he has filed this miscellaneous petition seeking direction to pay subsistence allowance.

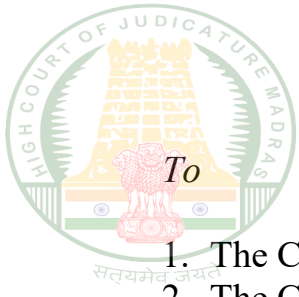
2.Once an employee is placed under suspension it is obligatory on the part of the employer to pay subsistence allowance to enable the petitioner to survive. In the circumstances, pending further orders, there shall be a direction to the respondents 2 & 3 to pay subsistence allowance and arrears of subsistence allowance, consequent upon the order of suspension dated 11.03.2026. The respondents 2 & 3 are further directed to pay the arrears of subsistence allowance within a period of three weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

3.Accordingly, the writ miscellaneous petitions are ordered.

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Note:Issue order copy on 16.10.2026



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