

**CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL
ERNAKULAM BENCH**

O.A. NO. 423 OF 2008

Wednesday, this the 4th day of February, 2009.

CORAM:

**HON'BLE Mr.JUSTICE K.THANKAPPAN, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE Ms.K.NOORJEHAN, ADMINISTRATIVE MEMBER**

1. K.Satheesan.
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2. N.T.Velayudhan.
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3. P.Chandran.
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4. K.M.Chandrasekharan
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5. K.T.Surendran
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Residing at Kanatha Thazha House, PO Peruvattoor
Koilandy ... Applicants

(By Advocate Mr. O.V.Radhakrishnan, Senior with Mr.Antony Mukkath)

versus

1. Superintendent of Post Offices
Vadakara Division, Vadakara -673 101
2. Post Master General
Northern Region, Kozhikode
3. Chief Post Master General
Kerala Circle, Thiruvananthapuram
4. The Director General of Posts
Dak Bhavan, New Delhi

5. Union of India represented by its Secretary
Ministry of Communications
New Delhi.

... Respondents

(By Advocate Mr. TPM Ibrahim Khan, SCGSC)

The application having been heard on 04.02.2009, the Tribunal on the same day delivered the following:

ORDER

HON'BLE Mr.JUSTICE K.THANKAPPAN, JUDICIAL MEMBER

The question raised in this OA has been already considered in similar cases viz., in OA Nos. 277/04 and OA 704/06. The orders passed in the above Original Applications have been upheld by the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in Writ Petition No. W.P.(C) 3618/06. This position is not disputed by the respondents. However, a rejoinder also filed in MA 105/09 to the reply statement filed on behalf of respondents. The factual matrices are similar to the orders mentioned above. Hence, we are of the considered view that no further probe is necessary. Hence orders can be passed in line with OA Nos. 277/04 and OA 704/06. Accordingly, the OA is allowed with no order for costs.

Dated, the 4th February, 2009.


K.NOORJEHAN
ADMINISTRATIVE MEMBER


JUSTICE K.THANKAPPAN
JUDICIAL MEMBER

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