

CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL
ERNAKULAM BENCH

OA No. 304 of 1998

Wednesday, this the 4th day of March, 1998

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HON'BLE MR. A.M. SIVADAS, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE MR. S.K. GHOSAL, ADMINISTRATIVE MEMBER

1. Pooja B. Nair,
Vazhoor House,
Midayikunnam PO,
Thalayolaparambu. .. Applicant

By Advocate Mr. PC Sebastian

Versus

1. The Senior Superintendent of
Post Offices,
Kottayam Division, Kottayam.
2. The Postmaster General,
Central Region, Kochi-682016 .. Respondents

By Advocate Mr. Varghese P. Thomas, ACGSC

The application having been heard on 4-3-1998, the
Tribunal on the same day delivered the following:

O R D E R

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The applicant seeks to declare that she is entitled to be considered for selection to the post of Extra Departmental Branch Postmaster, Vadakkenirappu Post Office along with other candidates sponsored by the Employment Exchange, though her name has not been sponsored by the Employment Exchange, and to direct the 1st respondent to consider her also in the interview to be held shortly for the said post.

2. The applicant says that having come to know about the selection proceedings initiated by the 1st respondent for filling the post of Extra Departmental Branch Postmaster, Vadakkenirappu Post Office, she submitted a representation

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on 29-12-1997 to the 1st respondent requesting to consider her also for the said post though her name is not sponsored by the Employment Exchange. The applicant apprehends that she will not be considered for the reason that her name is not sponsored by the Employment Exchange.

3. In the light of the pronouncement by the Apex Court, it is not necessary to restrict the selection only to those candidates sponsored by the Employment Exchange. That being so, the applicant is also to be considered, if she is otherwise qualified.

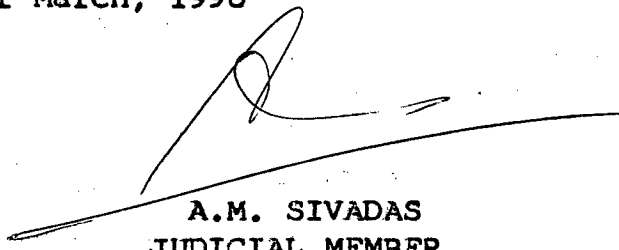
4. The learned counsel appearing for the respondents submitted that interview for the said post will be held on 16-3-1998.

5. Accordingly, the 1st respondent is directed to consider the applicant also, if she is otherwise qualified, for the post of Extra Departmental Branch Postmaster, Vadakkenirappu Post Office along with other candidates in the interview to be held on 16-3-1998 or on any other date to which it is adjourned.

6. The original application is disposed of as aforesaid. No costs.

Dated the 4th of March, 1998


S.K. GHOSAL
ADMINISTRATIVE MEMBER


A.M. SIVADAS
JUDICIAL MEMBER