

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM
PRESENT
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE ZIYAD RAHMAN A.A.

Friday, the 1st day of November 2024 / 10th Karthika, 1946

IA.NO.2/2024 IN WP(C) NO. 14578 OF 2023

APPLICANTS/PETITIONERS:

1. DR. SASIDEVAN V. AGED 38 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022
2. DR. PRIYA ROSE T AGED 38 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF PHOTONICS, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022
3. DR. K. B. PADMAKUMAR AGED 48 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF MARINE BIOLOGY, MICROBIOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY, SCHOOL OF MARINE SCIENCES, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, LAKE SIDE CAMPUS, FINE ARTS AVENUE, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT, PIN - 682016
4. DR. ANOOP K K. AGED 36 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022
5. DR. CHARLES JOSE AGED 36 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022
6. DR. SABEENA M AGED 38 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022
7. DR. HABEEB RAHMAN K AGED 35 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICAL OCEANOGRAPHY, SCHOOL OF MARINE SCIENCES, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, LAKE SIDE CAMPUS, FINE ARTS AVENUE, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT, PIN - 682016
8. DR. JAYESH PUTHUMANA AGED 42 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, NATIONAL CENTRE FOR AQUATIC ANIMAL HEALTH, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, LAKE SIDE CAMPUS, FINE ARTS AVENUE, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT-, PIN - 682016
9. DR PREETHY CHANDRAN AGED 38 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT, PIN - 682022
10. DR. MIDHUN M AGED 34 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, LAKE SIDE CAMPUS, FINE ARTS AVENUE, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT, PIN - 682016
11. DR. SENOY THOMAS AGED 42 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022
12. DR. VIJITH V. AGED 38 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL OCEANOGRAPHY, SCHOOL OF MARINE SCIENCES, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, LAKE SIDE CAMPUS, FINE ARTS AVENUE, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT, PIN - 682016
13. DR. RATHEESH KUMAR C.S. AGED 42 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022

14. DR. TRIPTI S WARRIER AGED 42 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022
15. DR. RHINE KUMAR ARAYAKKANDI KEECHIPRATH AGED 35 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022
16. DR. PRIYAJA P. AGED 48 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF MARINE BIOLOGY, MICROBIOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY, SCHOOL OF MARINE SCIENCES, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, LAKE SIDE CAMPUS, FINE ARTS AVENUE, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT, PIN - 682016
17. DR. MANU VAISHAKH AGED 39 YEARS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF PHOTONICS, COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT , PIN - 682022

RESPONDENTS/RESPONDENTS:

1. STATE OF KERALA REPRESENTED BY THE CHIEF SECRETARY, GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM , PIN - 695001
2. STATE OF KERALA REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION, GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM , PIN - 695001
3. COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY ROAD, KALAMASSERY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT, REPRESENTED BY ITS REGISTRAR, PIN - 682022
4. UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION (UGC), BAHADUR SHAH ZAFAR MARG, NEW DELHI, REPRESENTED BY THE CHAIRMAN, PIN - 110002

Application praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therewith the High Court be pleased to stay all further actions pursuant to Exhibit P14 in the interest of justice, pending disposal of the Writ Petition.

This Application coming on for orders upon perusing the application and the affidavit filed in support thereof, and upon hearing the arguments of GEORGE POONTHOTTAM (SR.) along with NISHA GEORGE, A.L.NAVANEETH KRISHNAN & ANN MARIA FRANCIS for Applicants in IA/WPC, GOVERNMENT PLEADER for R1 & R2 in IA/WPC, STANDING COUNSEL for R3 and of SRI. S. KRISHNAMOORTHY, STANDING COUNSEL for R4 in IA/WPC, the court passed the following:

ORDER

There shall be an interim order staying the recovery of any amount pursuant to Ext.P14, from the petitioners.

Sd/- ZIYAD RAHMAN A.A. JUDGE

APPENDIX OF WP(C) 14578/2023

Exhibit P14

**TRUE COPY OF THE LETTER NO. 2742176/PRC-C3/03/2024-FIN
DATED 03.04.2024 ISSUED BY THE 1ST RESPONDENT.**

