

ITEM NO.13

COURT NO.1

SECTION PIL-W

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Writ Petition(s) (Civil) No(s). 573/2017

K.M. KARTHIK

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE UNION OF INDIA & ORS.
(FOR ADMISSION)

Respondent(s)

Date : 31-07-2017 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE DR. JUSTICE D.Y. CHANDRACHUD

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Diggaj Pathak, AOR
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Mr. K.M. Karthik, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

The petitioner has approached this Court under Article 32
of the Constitution of India, by raising the following prayers:

"i) writ, order or direction in nature of mandamus or any other appropriate writ, order or direction for regularizing and ensuring the timely and complete payment of the staffs' salaries, in all the private Engineering colleges in India, by ECS(Electronic Clearing Service) through nationalized banks.

ii) writ, order or direction in nature of mandamus or any other appropriate writ, order to enforce the inspection at colleges within India and to verify the recommended 'student staff ratio', which shall be verified by the 'annual salary paid statements to staff and not only by 'identification parades'.

Iii) writ, order or direction in nature of

mandamus or any other appropriate writ to the respondent no.1, respondent no.2, respondent no.3 & respondent no.5 that, no college should possess/withhold/collect any of the original educational/professional certificates of any staff member and provisions for imposition of penalty for the same.

iv) writ, order or direction in nature of mandamus or any other appropriate writ, order for establishment of a welfare board, or a directorate, or a commission, for welfare and grievance redressals of staffs working in private engineering colleges all over the country.

v) any other order as the Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper in the facts and circumstances of the case be also passed in favour of the petitioner in the interest of justice."

Having given our thoughtful consideration of the matter, we are of the view that at the present juncture, it would suffice if a direction is issued to the petitioner to submit the paper book of the instant writ petition, to the Secretary of the All India Council for Technical Education (for short 'AICTE'). The AICTE shall treat the same as a representation, and shall take a conscious decision in respect of issues canvassed, and take such remedial action, as may be called for, in consonance with law.

Disposed of in the aforesaid terms.

(PARVEEN KUMAR)
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(RENUKA SADANA)
ASST.REGISTRAR