

**CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL****MADRAS BENCH****OA/310/00706/2013****Dated Thursday the 21<sup>th</sup> day of July Two Thousand Sixteen****PRESENT****HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.RAJASURIA, Member(J)****&****HON'BLE MR. R. RAMANUJAM, Member (A)**

1. Indian Railways Technical supervisors Association,  
(IRTSA), Rep. by its Joint General Secretary,  
Shri. K. V. Ramesh,  
G3 – LIKITH HOMES, 3 – Lakshmanan Nagar,  
West Street, Peravallur, Chennai – 600 082.

2. M.T. Sujith Kumar,  
Working as Senior Section Engineer,  
Basin Bridge Coaching Depot,  
Southern Railway, Chennai – 600 003.  
Resident of No. 37/67, St. Antony Street,  
G.K.M.Colony, Chennai – 600 082.

...Applicants

**By Advocate. M/s. K. M. Ramesh**

Vs

1. Union of India,  
Rep. by the Secretary,  
Government of India,  
Ministry of Railways,  
Railway Board, Rail Bhawan,  
New Delhi – 110 001.

2. Secretary,  
Ministry of Finance,  
Expenditure,  
Government of India,  
North Block, New Delhi – 110 001.

3. Secretary,  
Ministry of Personnel and Training,  
Government of India,  
North Block, New Delhi – 110 001.

...Respondents

**By Advocate Mr. R. Krishnamurthy (R1)  
Mr. K. Rajendran (R2)**

## ORDER

(Pronounced by Hon'ble Mr. Justice G. Rajasuria, Member(J))

Heard both.

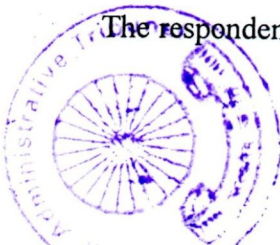
2. This OA has been filed seeking the following relief:

“(1) To call for the records relating Railway Service revised pay rules No. PC-VI/2008/1/RSRP (RBE No – 108/2008), dated 11<sup>th</sup> Sep. 2008 (Annexure – A16) and order of the Railway Board No. PC-VI/2008/1/RSRP (RBE No – 124/2008) dated 22.09.2008 on the Grade pays awarded to accounts, nursing and teaching staff placed in Group – c (Annexure – A17) and the Ministry of Railways Gazette notification No S. No. PC VI/19 (RBE No – 128/2008) dated 23<sup>rd</sup> sep.2008 on the Grade pays awarded to accounts, nursing and teaching staff placed in Group-B (Annexure – A18) and to quash the above orders;

(2) To issue direction to the respondents to enhance the Grade pay of Junior Engineers on Railways to at least higher than those of the Senior Technicians working under them; and to enhance the grade pay of Senior Section Engineers on Railways to adequately above the grade pay of Junior Engineers and the Chief Office Superintendents working under them, with all the consequential benefits of arrears of pay and allowances with interest @ 18% per annum from the date the amount became due to the actual date of payment.”

3. At the outset, itself the learned counsel for the applicant would make a supine submission to the effect that the applicants would be satisfied if a direction is given to the respondent Financial Ministry concerned to consider the representation as contained in Annexure – A21 dated 11.06.2010 within a time frame and communicate the result to the railway department if not already communicated.
4. The learned counsel for the respondent would submit that if such a direction is given the same would be considered.
5. As such, in view of the submission made by the petitioner, we are of the view that without going into the substantive merit of the matter, the OA itself could be disposed of by issuing the following direction:

The respondent no. 2 the Ministry of Finance shall consider the office memorandum no.



PC VI/2009/DAC/1(pt2) dated 11.06.2010 sent by the railways, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of copy of this order, if not already considered and communicate the result to the railways.

5. Accordingly this OA is disposed of. No costs.

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SECTION OFFICER

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