

**THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE M.SATYANARAYANA MURTHY**

**WRIT PETITION NO.31598 OF 2017**

**ORDER:**

This writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking the following relief:-

*“..to issue an appropriate Writ order or direction more particularly a writ in the nature of Mandamus declaring the inaction of the respondent No.3 in disposing of the representations sent by the petitioner herein on 01.08.2017 as unjust and illegal and further direct the respondents to consider and dispose of the above representations sent by the petitioner in accordance with law as expeditiously as possible and pass such other order or orders as this Hon'ble court deems fit and proper in the circumstances of the case.”*

2. Though the petitioner made several allegations against the respondents, during hearing Sri M. Balasubrahmanyam, learned counsel for the petitioner limited his request to dispose of the representation dated 01.08.2017 made by the petitioner, without touching the merits of the case.

3. Learned Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue, appearing for respondents readily agreed to dispose of the representation dated 01.08.2017 submitted by the petitioner, if any, pending with the respondent-authorities.

4. Recording the submissions of the learned Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue, I need not decide the truth or otherwise of the allegations made in the petition. This Court is conscious that no such direction be issued, in view of the judgment of the Apex Court in “***The Government of India v. P.Venkatesh***<sup>1</sup>”, wherein the Apex Court held that such orders may make for a quick or easy disposal of cases in overburdened adjudicatory institutions. But, they do not serve to the cause of justice. As the learned counsel

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<sup>1</sup> 2019 (8) SCALE 544

for the petitioner requested to issue a direction to dispose of the representation dated 01.08.2017 submitted by the petitioner, I find no other alternative, except to issue such direction.

5. In the result, the Writ Petition is disposed of, directing the respondents to dispose of the representation dated 01.08.2017 submitted by the petitioner and pass appropriate order in accordance with law, within four (4) weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order, if it is pending. No costs.

As a sequel miscellaneous application, pending, if any, shall also stand closed.

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