## BEFORE THE KERALA STATE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

Present: Mr.Justice N.Dhinakar, Hon'ble Chairperson

Dated this the 10<sup>th</sup> December, 2008.

## H.R.M.P.No.529/2008

Petitioner : P.Surendran,

Sudeesh Nivas, Valiyamala, Cheraoppally, Kottakkakm muri, Aryanad Village, Nedumanagad,

Working as: NAMP Attender,

District Office,

Kerala State Pollution Control board,

Petta, Thiruvananthapuram.

Respondent :

## ORDER

The petitioner who is working on contract basis in the Kerala State Pollution Control Board as NAMP Attender, in this HRMP complains against driver George and typist Purushothaman alleging that he was beaten and kicked by them. He was also threatened by George and according to him no action was initiated by Vanchiyoor Police.

In the report submitted by the City Police Commissioner, Thiruvananthapuram, it is stated the four persons are engaged as contract labourers at the District Office of the Kerala State Pollution Control Board, Petta, for taking samples of air and petitioner is working for the last five years as NAMP Attender. According to the report, if three persons are engaged for the above job they will get 72 duty and recently Sreekala, wife of George, also joined as NAMP Attender

and whenever they take up duty the salary will be decreased on account of which the petitioner used to insult Sreekala directly and indirectly. According to the report, on 4-1-2008 the petitioner questioned Sreekala as to where she went which fact was informed to her husband who requested the petitioner not to disturb her resulting in a quarrel between them during which Purushothaman, typist, interfered and solved the problem.

According to the report, the Circle Inspector of Police, Petta, made enquiries. In the report it is further stated that the petitioner also gave a complaint to the Department on which enquiry was conducted and the petitioner in his complaint to the Department did not allege that he was insulted by calling his caste name and further both the petitioner and Sreekala belong to the scheduled caste community.

In view of the report no further orders can be passed by this Commission since the matter relates to dispute between temporary officials of a Department for which a Departmental enquiry was also conducted. The report also shows that both parties belong to the same community and therefore the provisions of Prevention of Sc/ST Atrocities Act will not be attracted and hence the petition is closed.

Justice N.Dhinakar, Chairperson.