

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM
PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE V.G.ARUN

Saturday, the 25th day of October 2025 / 3rd Karthika, 1947

WP(C) NO. 35976 OF 2025(V)

PETITIONERS:

1. ADV. G. MURALEEDHARAN PILLAI AGED 51 YEARS S/O.GOPALA PILLAI, KIZHAKKUMBAGATHU VEEDU,KOIVILA P.O, KOLLAM, PIN - 691590
2. DR. SHIJU KHAN J. S. AGED 39 YEARS S/O. JAHANGEER. P, SHIJUMANZIL, PATHAMKALLU, MANCHA P.O,NEDUMANGADU, PIN - 695541
3. DR. P. M. RADHAMANY AGED 61 YEARS S/O.P.CMADHAVAN, "ZANADU", VALLATHODU, KARIAVATTOM P.O,THIRUVANANTHAPURAM., PIN - 695581
4. DR. S. JAYAN AGED 50 YEARS S/O.
P.SUNDARESAN,GOKULAM, NEDUMENKAVEU, KOLLAM-, PIN - 691509
5. R. RAJESH AGED 44 YEARS S/O.A.TRAGHAVAN,NALLOORKULATHIL, KOLLAKADAVU P.O, CHENGANNUR,ALAPPUZHA, PIN - 690509
6. DR. GOPCHANDRAN K. G. AGED 61 YEARS S/O.K.GOPALAN, TC 15/133,SASTHAMANGALAM P.O, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695010
7. DR. M. LENIN LAL AGED 41 YEARS S/O.V.MANIKANDAN, LENINLAPBHAVAN,KALPANA NAGAR,MENAMKULAM, CHITTATHUMUKKU P.O,THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695301
8. PROF. DR. MANOJ V. AGED 51 YEARS S/O.GOVINDAWARRIER, SURABHI,VIVEKANANDA LANE,EDAPPALLY P.O, KOCHI, PIN - 682024
9. DR. S. NAZEEB AGED 56 YEARS S/O.K.SULAIMAN, MAVINNAZHAKAM,NEERAVIL, PERINAD P.O, KOLLAM, PIN - 691601
10. PROF. DR. PRAKASH K. C. AGED 55 YEARS S/O. N.CHELLAPPAN, "SREEGEHAM",MAMBRA P.O,CHENGANNUR,ALAPPUZHA, PIN - 689508
11. DR. RAHIM. K. AGED 54 YEARS S/O. *KASIMKUNJU, "KAARUNYAM",VAYYANAM P.O,AYUR, KOLLAM, PIN - 691533
12. DR. PRAMOD N. AGED 44 YEARS S/O.NARAYANAN NAIR, NEERANJANAM,KIZHAKKEMUKKOLA,KALLAYAM P.O,THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695043
13. DR. MANOJ T. R. AGED 49 YEARS S/O. RAMU, THURAVAKUDI,KAREELAKULANGARA P.O,KAYAMKULAM, PIN - 690572
14. ADV. R. B. RAJEEV KUMAR AGED 50 YEARS S/O.K.KBHASKARAN, RAJ BHAVAN,MAR00R P.O,ADOOR, PATHANAMTHITTA, PIN - 691524
15. AJAY D.N. AGED 50 YEARS S/O.P.M NARAYANAN NAMBISAN, H.NO.CP IIII/466,NARAKAMVALLY,KANNUR, PIN - 670501

RESPONDENTS:

1. UNIVERSITY OF KERALA REPRESENTED BY ITS REGISTRAR, PALAYAM,THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695034
2. THE VICE CHANCELLOR UNIVERSITY OF KERALA, PALAYAM, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695034
3. THE REGISTRAR UNIVERSITY OF KERALA, PALAYAM, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695034

Writ petition (civil) praying inter alia that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed along with the WP(C) the High Court be pleased to issue a direction to the 2nd respondent to forthwith convene the meeting of the Syndicate in compliance with the direction issued by this Hon'ble Court in Ext.P11 judgment; pending disposal of the Writ Petition.

This petition again coming on for orders upon perusing the petition and the affidavit filed in support of WP(C) and upon hearing the arguments of M/S. ELVIN PETER P.J. (SR.) along with K.R.GANESH, ADARSH BABU C.S., AHSANA E.,ASHIK J. VARGHESE, Advocates for the petitioners, STANDING COUNSEL for respondents 1 and 3 (By Order) and of M/S. GIRIJA A GOPAL for R2, the court passed the following:



V.G.ARUN, J.

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Dated this the 25th day of October, 2025

ORDER

The learned Senior Counsel appearing for the petitioners contends that the next meeting of the Syndicate is being delayed deliberately to avoid a discussion on the suspension of the Registrar. The learned counsel for the Vice Chancellor refutes the allegation and submits that the next meeting is being convened on 01.11.2025, within the period of two months prescribed in the Statute itself.

2. The learned Senior Counsel then submitted that even in the notice of the next meeting, the agenda is not appended and hence there is every possibility that in the meeting convened on 01.11.2025 also, the suspension of the Registrar will not be taken up for consideration.

3. To this, the learned counsel for the Vice Chancellor replied that the apprehension is without substance and suspension of the Registrar will be included as an agenda item.

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4. The learned Senior Counsel then expressed concern about the possibility of the meeting being disrupted midway and requested to direct recording of the proceedings of the meeting being held on 01.11.2025, as is usually done during the Senate meetings.

5. The learned counsel for the Vice Chancellor submits that, offhand, it cannot be stated whether facility for recording the meeting can be provided, and if that is possible, the needful will be done.

6. The learned Standing Counsel for the University submits that the University will make necessary arrangements for recording the meeting.

The submission that the agenda regarding suspension of the Registrar will be included as an item in the meeting to be convened on 01.11.2025 is recorded. This Court is also confident that all participants of the meeting will maintain decorum and discharge their duties responsibly.

Post on 10.11.2025.

Hand over.

**Sd/-
V.G.ARUN, JUDGE**

Jvt/25.10.2025

APPENDIX OF WP(C) 35976/2025

EXHIBIT P11

**TRUE COPY OF THE JUDGMENT DATED 10.09.2025 IN W.P.(C)
NO. 28246/2025 OF THIS HON'BLE COURT DISPOSING THE WRIT
PETITION**

