



W.P(MD)No.24825 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 16.11.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P(MD)No.24825 of 2023

M/s.Nethaji Pharmacy,
Siddha & Ayurveda Medicine Manufactures,
Rep. by its Proprietor,
S.Revathi.

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Secretary to Government,
Health and Family Welfare Department,
Secretariat, St.George Fort,
Chennai.

2.The Chairman – Cum – Managing Director,
TAMPCOL, Arumbakkam,
Chennai – 600 106.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to disburse the bill amount to the petitioner forthwith for the supply of medicines pursuant to the orders of the 2nd respondent dated 28.02.2023, 13.04.2023, 16.05.2023 and 17.05.2023.



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For Petitioner : Mr.J.Anandkumar

For Respondents : Mr.M.Sidharthan,
Addl. Government Pleader for R1.
Mr.A.K.Manikkam for R2.

ORDER

Heard both sides.

2.The writ petitioner had supplied pharmaceutical items to the second respondent. The petitioner claims that he paid a sum of Rs.25,00,000/- towards GST alone. His bill is yet to be settled. That led to the filing of this writ petition.

3.When the second respondent has issued tender and the petitioner was found to be successful tenderer and the tender obligations were also complied with, there is absolutely no justification in delaying the bill payment. The second respondent is directed to settle the petitioner's bill amount within a period of four weeks from today.



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4.This writ petition is allowed accordingly. No costs.

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NCC : Yes/No
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