



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 21/7/2026

C O R A M

THE HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE K. SURENDER

WP Nos.27725 and 27727 of 2026

P. Vijayalakshmi

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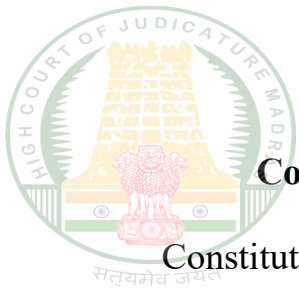
Petitioner
in both the petitions

Vs

1. The Commissioner
The Greater Chennai Corporation
Rippon Building
Chennai 600 003.
2. The Education Officer
The Greater Chennai Corporation
Rippon Building
Chennai 600 003.
3. The Regional Additional Registrar of Cooperative Societies
Surcharge Officer
II Floor, Kuralagam, Broadway
Chennai 600 108.
4. The District Registrar of Cooperative Societies (Credit)/
Surcharge Officer
II Floor, Kuralagam, Broadway
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5. Greater Chennai Corporation Officials'
Co-operative Society Ltd
rep. By its Administrator
Rippon Building
Chennai 600 003.
6. The Secretary
Greater Chennai Corporation Officials'
Co-operative Society Ltd
Rippon Building
Chennai 600 003.

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Respondents
in both the petitions



Common Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of a Writ of mandamus to direct the respondents 3 to 5 to implement the order dated 24/2/2026 in C.M.A.Nos.2 and 1 of 2025 of the Hon'ble Chief Justice, Small Causes Court, Chennai/Tribunal for Cooperative Cases and consequently, release all service, financial benefits, retirement benefits and other benefits due including the retained amount to the petitioner along with 9% interest per annum withheld on account of the set aside Surcharge Order in Proc.Na.Ka.No.3587/2023 dated 22/3/2024.

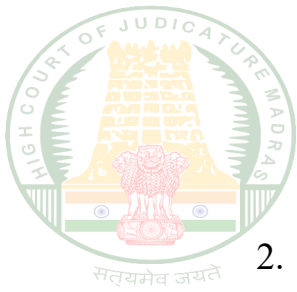
For petitioner ... Mr.D.Daniel

For respondents ... Ms.Ashwini Devi
for R.R.1 to 2.

Mr.R.Karthikeyan
Government Counsel
for R.R.3 and 4

COMMON ORDER

These writ petitions have been filed to direct the respondents 3 to 5 to implement the order dated 24/2/2026 in C.M.A.Nos.2 and 1 of 2025 passed by the Chief Justice, Small Causes Court, Chennai/Tribunal for Cooperative Cases and consequently, release all service, financial benefits, retirement benefits and other benefits due including the retained amount to the petitioner along with 9% interest p.a., withheld on account of the set aside Surcharge order in Proc.Na.Ka.No.3587/2023 dated 22/3/2024.



2. The grievance of the petitioner is that she is part of the surcharge proceedings. However, when the surcharge proceedings were questioned before the Special Tribunal for Cooperative Cases, Chennai, proceedings were set aside mainly on the ground that loan amounts were already paid and the petitioners cannot be attributed with any kind of misappropriation.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the respondents would submit that against the above said orders, in C.M.A., preferred by the petitioner before the District Court and C.R.P is being preferred by the respondents before this Court.

4. Be that as it may. Since the petitioner is a widow, this Court is of the considered view that the request of the petitioner for settling the retiral benefits and other benefits, may be considered by the respondents, if the same is in accordance with law.

5. Accordingly, this Court direct the respondents to consider the request of the petitioner and release all service, financial benefits, retirement benefits and other benefits including the retained amount to the petitioner, if the same is in accordance with law.



K.SURENDER, J

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6. With the above direction, these writ petitions are disposed of. No costs.

(K.SURENDER,J)

21st July, 2026

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Index: Yes/No

Neutral Citation: Yes.

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