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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **10.07.2026**

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THE HONOURABLE **MR.JUSTICE MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR**

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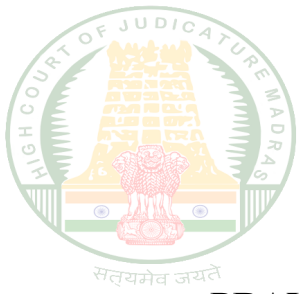
A.Nirojadevi

... Petitioner

vs.

- 1.The State of Tamil Nadu,  
Represented by,  
Principal Secretary to Government,  
Fort St.George,  
Chennai – 600 009.
- 2.The Principal Chief Conservator of Forest,  
(Head of Forest Force),  
Forest Headquarters Buildings,  
Near Kannikapuram Checkpost,  
Guindy-Velacherry Main Road,  
Chennai – 600 032.
- 3.The Conservator of Forest,  
SMTR, Madurai Circle,  
Madurai.
- 4.The District Forest Officer,  
Theni District,  
Theni.

... Respondents



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**PRAYER:** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 18.06.2026 and e-mail representation dated 03.07.2026 and consequently transfer the petitioner from Theni Range, Theni District, to the existing vacancy in Varrapur Beat, Thiruppathur Range, Sivagangai District within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Sivakumar

For Respondents : Mr.M.Dinesh Hari Sudarsan  
Counsel for Government of Tamil Nadu

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### **ORDER**

Heard Mr.G.Sivakumar, learned Counsel for the Petitioner and Mr.M.Dinesh Hari Sudarsan, learned Counsel for Government of Tamil Nadu, who takes notice for Respondents.

2. This Writ Petition has been filed for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 18.06.2026 and e-mail representation dated 03.07.2026 and consequently transfer the petitioner from Theni Range,



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Theni District, to the existing vacancy in Varrapur Beat, Thiruppathur Range, Sivagangai District.

3. The petitioner, who is working as Forest Guard in Theni Forest Range, Theni Forest Division, claims to have submitted a representation dated 18.06.2026 and an email representation dated 03.07.2026 to the 4<sup>th</sup> respondent, requesting her transfer to any of the existing vacancies in Varrapur Beat, Thiruppathur Range, Sivagangai District, explaining her personal difficulties and the health conditions of her family members. As the respondents have not taken any action on the said representations, the petitioner has approached this Court by filing the present Writ Petition.

4. Today, when the matter is taken up for consideration, Mr.M.Dinesh Hari Sudarsan, learned Counsel for the Government of Tamil Nadu, on instructions, submits that the 4<sup>th</sup> respondent has already considered the request made by the petitioner through her representations and, accordingly, made a recommendation to the 3<sup>rd</sup> respondent. He further submits that it is for the 3<sup>rd</sup> respondent to pass appropriate orders on the recommendation made by the 4<sup>th</sup> respondent.

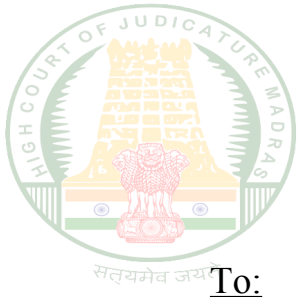


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**WEB COPY** 5. In the light of the above, taking into consideration the fact that the 4<sup>th</sup> respondent has already recommended the transfer of the petitioner, this Writ Petition is **disposed of** by directing the 3<sup>rd</sup> respondent to consider the recommendation made by the 4<sup>th</sup> respondent pursuant to the representations dated 18.06.2026 and 03.07.2026 submitted by the petitioner, and pass appropriate orders thereon as expeditiously as possible, at any rate, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. There shall be no order as to costs.

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**MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR, J.**

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