

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 04.02.2015

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE T.S.SIVAGNANAM

W.P.No.2613 of 2015

Susyraj

... Petitioner

vs.

The Assistant Commissioner (Civil Supplies)
Civil Supplies & Consumer Protection Department
No.4, Venkatesa Agraharam Street
Mylapore
Chennai - 600 004

... Respondent

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus calling for the records of the respondent in his proceedings pertaining to No.NC/581/2014 dated 16.07.2014 quash the same and consequently direct the respondent to issue family card in the name of the petitioner.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.S.Karthik Raja
For Respondent : Mr.S.Gunasekaran
Govt. Advocate

ORDER

Heard Mr.K.S.Karthik Raja, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.S.Gunasekaran, learned Government Advocate appearing for the respondent.

2. The petitioner has filed this writ petition challenging the endorsement made by the respondent dated 16.07.2014. The petitioner applied for a family card and without conducting any enquiry as regards the petitioner's place of residence, the respondent has merely rejected the same mentioning "js;Sgo". If the respondent finds that the petitioner is not permanent resident in the above said address, then he has to pass a speaking order as to on what basis the respondent came to a conclusion that the petitioner is not residing in the said premises. The petitioner has produced the family card issued in the year 2005 and also Voter ID Card issued by the Election Commission of India.

3. In the light of the above, the respondent is directed to enquire into the matter and pass a speaking order on merits and in accordance with law as expeditiously as possible.

4.The writ petition is disposed of with the above direction. No costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

The Assistant Commissioner (Civil Supplies)
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+ 1 cc to Mr.A.K.Karthik Raja, Advocate SR.5630
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