





the Government, Finance (Res.II) Department, has issued a letter No.19498/Res.II/2014-1, dated 09.07.2014. Despite the same, orders are not passed on the applications.

3.Mr.Ramalingam, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that speedy disposal of the applications filed under Section 14 of SARFAESI is not done.

4.Considering the limited prayer sought for, Mr. learned Additional Government Pleader was put on notice. He submitted that in application application, dated 19.08.2015 in file Ref.No.34810/2015, orders would be passed within two months from the date of receipt of a copy of receipt of a copy of this order.

5.Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondent.

6.We do acknowledge the submission of Mr.Ramalingam, learned counsel appearing for M/s.State Bank of India, that time and again, writ petitions have been filed for issuance of writ of Mandamus to the District Collectors/District Magistrates, to pass orders on the applications filed under Section 14 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002, so as to enable the Banks to take physical possession of the secured assets. Directions have been issued by the Government that there should be speedy disposal of the application filed under Section 14 of the SARFAESI Act. Instructions have been issued to all the District Collectors.

7.In the light of the above, we direct the The District Collector (District Magistrate), Thanjavur District, to pass orders on the application, dated 19.08.2015 in file Ref.No.34810/2015, filed under Section 14 of the SARFAESI Act, within a period of two months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. While doing so, procedure set out under Section 14 of the Act, should be followed. Mr.S.Kumar, learned Additional Government Pleader is directed to forward the copy of this order to the Principal Secretary to Government, Finance (Res.II) Department, Chennai, for appropriate follow up action.

8.The writ petition is disposed of accordingly. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,  
Madurai.



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To

1 The District Collector,  
(District Magistrate),  
Thanjavur District,  
Thanjavur.

2.Mr.S.Kumar,  
Additional Government Pleader,  
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,Madurai.

+1 cc to Special Government Pleader, Sr No.23134  
+1 cc to M/S.Ramalingam, Associates Sr No.23045

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