



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 14.09.2017

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.M.SUNDRESH  
and  
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUMAR

W.P. (MD) No.17323 of 2017

M.Mariyappan

... Petitioner

-VS-

- 1.The Chairman and Secretary to Government,  
State Level Scrutiny Committee,  
Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department,  
Secretariat,  
Chennai - 9.
- 2.The District Collector,  
Tirunelveli District,  
Tirunelveli.
- 3.The Revenue Divisional Officer,  
Thenkasi,  
Tirunelveli District.

... Respondents

**PRAYER :** Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st Respondent to pass an order on the petitioner ST Community Certificate Appeal dated 03.05.2010 within the stipulated time which may be fixed by this Hon'ble Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Murugappan

For Respondents : Mr.M.Murugan  
Government Advocate

**O R D E R**

**(Order of the Court by M.M.SUNDRESH, J.,)**

By consent, this Writ Petition is taken up for disposal at the time of admission itself.

2.As against the order of rejection passed by the third respondent, petitioner filed appeal to respondent No.1. Since the Appeal dated 03.05.2010, is yet to be disposed of, this writ petition has been filed.



3.The learned Government Advocate would submit that it is not known as to whether the appeal is disposed of or not since the order passed being oldest.

4.Considering the above, we permit the petitioner to file an appeal within four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and on receipt of the same, the first respondent shall consider the same and pass orders on merits and in accordance with law within a period of six months from the date of receipt of the appeal.

5.This Writ Petition is disposed of with the above direction.  
No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To:

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+1cc to Mr.R.Murugappan, Advocate Sr.No.78721

+1cc to Spl.Government Pleader Sr.No.79056

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