



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED: 19.09.2017

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R. MAHADEVAN

W.P(MD) No.17560 of 2017

1. M.Rafeek Raja
2. S.Abusali

... Petitioners

-vs-

1. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Iluppur,
Pudukkottai District.

2. The Tahsildar,
Kulathur Taluk,
Pudukkottai District.

3. Iliyaas

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st respondent to dispose the appeal preferred by the petitioner in Na.Ka.No.408/2014/A1 within a reasonable time to be fixed by this Hon'ble Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Ganapathi Subramanian

For R1 & R2 : Mr.C.Selvaraj
Spl. Govt. Pleader

O R D E R

This writ petition has been filed, seeking a direction to the 1st respondent to dispose of the appeal, preferred by the petitioner in Na.Ka.No.408/2014/A1.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Special Government Pleader appearing for R1 & R2. Notice to R3 is dispensed with, as the opportunity of hearing will be given to R3 by the 1st respondent before disposing of the appeal.

3. The case of the petitioner is that he had applied for computer patta on 19.12.2013 and later came to know that the same was transferred to the 3rd respondent unilaterally without any notice to him. Hence, he filed an appeal before the 1st respondent for conducting proper enquiry to change the patta in his name and it has been kept pending for the last three years. Aggrieved by the order of the 1st respondent, the petitioner is before this Court for early disposal of the appeal.



4. The learned Special Government Pleader for R1 & R2 would submit that if a reasonable time is granted to the 1st respondent, the appeal preferred by the petitioner will be considered and suitable orders passed.

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5. In view of the above submission, this Court directs the 1st respondent to dispose of the appeal of the petitioner on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, after affording an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, the 4th respondent and other interested parties, if any.

6. With the above direction, this petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-I)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To:

1. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Iluppur,
Pudukkottai District.

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