

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 12.01.2018

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.RAVICHANDRABAABU

W.P.No.847 of 2018

J.John Patson

...Petitioner

Vs

1.The Chief Engineer,
Tamilnadu Electricity Board,
No.5/A Block Electricity Avenue,
No.144, Anna Salai,
Chennai 600 002.

2.The Executive Engineer,
Tamilnadu Electricity Board,
No.6, Thulukanam Koil Street,
Palikaranai,
Chennai 600 100.

...Respondents

Prayer:-Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a Writ of mandamus to direct the second respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 09.01.2018 and restore the electricity service connection in Service No.09312102319 standing in the name of S.Sanjay at 182 Maxworth Nagar S, Kolathur Main Road, Chennai 600 129 permanently by removing old meter.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Tamilavel

For Respondents : Mr.S.K.Rameshwar
Standing Counsel

ORDER

This writ petition is filed seeking for a mandamus directing the second respondent to restore the service connection in Service No.09312102319, based on the representation made by the petitioner on 09.01.2018. After making such representation on 09.01.2018, the petitioner filed the present writ petition on the very next day i.e., 10.01.2018. I do not think that the petitioner can invoke the jurisdiction of this Court under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, without even waiting for a reasonable time for the respondents to act on his representation, having given the same just one day

prior to the filing of the writ petition. Therefore, the conduct of the petitioner is without any bonafide. Thus, the writ petition is dismissed. No costs. The connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar (CS CCC)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

- 1 The Chief Engineer
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+1cc to Mr.S.K.RameshKumar, Advocate SR.No.2938

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