

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 07.02.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.RAVICHANDRABAABU

W.P.No.2633 of 2018

M.Manoharan
S/o.Muniyan

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector
Collectorate Complex
Villupuram - 605 602.

2.The District Supply Officer
Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection Department
Collectorate Complex,
Villupuram District-605 602.

3.The Taluk Supply Officer
Taluk Office Complex (Civil Supply)
Kandachipuram Taluk
Villupuram District-605 701.

... Respondents

Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 3rd respondent to issue new Smart Family Card in favour of the petitioner on the basis of his representation dated 27.12.2017, within a stipulated time.

For Petitioner : Mr.J.Agni Selvaraju
For Respondents : Mr.S.Soundararajan
Government Advocate

O R D E R

Mr.S.Soundararajan, learned Government Advocate takes notice for the respondents. By consent of the parties, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

2. Heard both sides.

3. The petitioner seeks for a mandamus directing the third respondent to issue new Smart Family Card in his favour, based on his representation dated 27.12.2017.

4. The grievance of the petitioner before this Court is that the said representation has not been considered so far. This Court, at this stage, is not expressing any view on the merits of the claim made by the petitioner, as it is for the third respondent to consider and decide the same on merits and in accordance with law. Accordingly, this writ petition is disposed of, only by directing the third respondent to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 27.12.2017 and pass orders on the same on merits and in accordance with law. Such exercise shall be done by the third respondent within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

-s/d-
Assistant Registrar (CS-IV)

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

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+1 CC to Mr. J. Agni Selvaraju, Advocate sr 9120.

+1 CC to The Govt. Pleader sr 9696.

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