

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 30.10.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.MAHADEVAN

W.P.No.28466 of 2018

D.S.Karthikeyan

... Petitioner

Vs

The Commissioner of Municipality,
Tindivanam Municipality,
Tindivanam,
Tindivanam - 604 001.

... Respondent

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a writ of mandamus, directing the respondent herein to correct the Death Certificate of the petitioner's wife by showing the petitioner name in the Death Certificate as a husband of the petitioner's wife.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Anandha Kumar

For Respondent : Mr.Elumalai
Government Advocate

ORDER

Mr.Elumalai, learned Government Advocate takes notice for the respondent. By consent of both parties, the writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

2.The petitioner has come up with this writ petition seeking a direction to the respondent to correct his wife's Death Certificate by showing his name in the Death Certificate as husband.

3. According to the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petitioner submitted a representation dated 16.04.2018 to the respondent, seeking to rectify the mistakes occurred in his wife's death certificate, but, the same has not been considered by the respondent. Hence, the petitioner is before this Court.

4. The learned Government Advocate appearing for the respondent submitted that the respondent would rectify the errors crept-in in the death certificate, within the time

stipulated by this Court.

5. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and having regard to the submissions made by the learned counsel on either side, this Court, without going into the merits of the case, directs the respondent to consider the claim of the petitioner, on merits and in accordance with law, after affording an opportunity of personal hearing to the petitioner as well as any other interested parties, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the above direction, the writ petition stands disposed of. However, there shall be no order as to costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CCC)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

The Commissioner of Municipality,
Tindivanam Municipality,
Tindivanam,
Tindivanam - 604 001.

+2cc to Mr.S.Anandakumar, Advocate SR.No.75077

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