



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 10.01.2018

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V. BHARATHIDASAN

**W.P. (MD) No. 294 of 2018
and
W.M.P. (MD) No. 320 of 2018**

Vijayalakshmi

... Petitioner

-Vs-

1. The District Revenue Officer,
Dindigul, Dindigul District.

2. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Palani, Dindigul District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the first respondent to number the appeal dated 22.01.2014 and to dispose of the appeal within the time frame that may be stipulated by this Hon'ble Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.C.Herold Singh

For Respondents : Mr.Aayiram K.Selvakumar,
Additional Government Pleader.

ORDER

The petitioner has filed this Writ Petition seeking a direction to the first respondent / the District Revenue Officer to dispose of the appeal filed by the petitioner dated 22.01.2014.

2. According to the petitioner, earlier, the second respondent passed an order dated 29.11.2013 cancelling the assignment granted in favour of the petitioner. Challenging the same, the petitioner filed an appeal before the first respondent as earliest on 22.01.2014, but so far, the appeal has not been disposed by the first respondent. Hence, the present Writ Petition has been filed.

3. Today, when the matter is taken up for hearing, the learned counsel for the respondents contended that the appeal



filed by the petitioner will be disposed of within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. In the above circumstances, the first respondent is directed to dispose of the appeal filed by the petitioner, after affording opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1. The District Revenue Officer,
Dindigul, Dindigul District.
2. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Palani, Dindigul District.

+ 1 cc TO Mr. S. C. Herold Singh, Advocate in SR No. 41440
+ 1 cc TO The Special Government Pleader in SR No. 42310

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