



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 12.04.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

W.P.(MD) No.8016 of 2018

Vimala

... Petitioner

Vs.

The Tahsildar,
Muthuklathur Taluk,
Muthukulathur,
Ramanathapuram District.

... Respondent

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondent to issue legal heir certificate of Karuppiyah (paternal grandfather of the petitioner herein) to the petitioner considering the petitioner's representation dated 10.02.2017 within a stipulated time fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Muthuvai Ilayarajan
For Respondent : Mr.N.Shanmugaselvam
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner's application dated 10.02.2017, for issuance of legal heir certificate of Karuppiyah (paternal grandfather of the petitioner herein) to the petitioner, has been kept pending without disposal, which prompted the petitioner to file the present writ petition.

2. By consent of both counsels, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal.

3.It is needless to point out that whenever any representation / application is made to the statutory authorities, the respondent is bound to dispose of the same in one way or other, rather than keeping it pending indefinitely.

4. In view of the limited prayer sought for and without going into the merits of the petitioner's representation dated 10.02.2017, there shall be a direction to the respondent to consider the petitioner's representation on its own merits and pass appropriate orders within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this Order. Such an exercise shall be done after giving due opportunity to the petitioner and to any other person who may be interested in the subject matter.



5. With the above observation, this writ petition stands allowed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (Crl.Side)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To
The Tahsildar,
Muthuklathur Taluk,
Muthukulathur,
Ramanathapuram District.

+1CC to Mr.K.Muthuvai Ilayarajan, Advocate, SR.No. 61158

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