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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 11.07.2018

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

W.P. (MD) No.14923 of 2018

Joyce Epsibai

... Petitioner

vs.

The Senior Manager
Corporation Bank
Adayakarungulam Branch
Tirunelveli District

... Respondent

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of writ of mandamus directing the respondent to grant educational loan to the petitioner based on her on line application dated nil for the course of B.Sc., (Nursing) in the institution namely Navaneetham School of Nursing at Bangalore.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.Selvan
For Respondent : Mr.Pala Ramasamy

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Mr.Pala Ramasamy, learned counsel, takes notice for the respondent.

2. By consent of both parties, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the stage of admission itself.

3. It is the grievance of the petitioner that her application submitted through on-line seeking for educational loan to pursue B.Sc., (Nursing) in Navaneetham School of Nursing, Bangalore, has not been considered by the respondent till date and therefore, she has filed the present writ petition.

4. This Court has not expressed any of its view with regard to the merits of the application made by the petitioner. It is needless to point out that whenever an application of this nature is made, the respondent is duty bound to consider the same in one way or the other. Non-consideration of the same would amount to dereliction of ordinary duties of his office and as such, this Court would be justified in invoking its powers conferred under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to direct him to consider the petitioner's application within a stipulated time.

5. In view of the limited prayer sought for in this writ petition, there shall be a direction to the respondent to consider



the petitioner's application submitted through on-line seeking for educational loan on its own merits and take further action in accordance with law, within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the above directions, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/
Assistant Registrar (CS III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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