

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 18.03.2019

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE T.RAJA

W.P.No.7785 of 2019

S.Sasikumar

.. Petitioner

-vs-

1. The District Revenue Officer
Tiruvallur, Chennai

2. The Revenue Divisional Officer
Ambattur Taluk
Thirumangalam-Ambattur High Road
Thirumangalam, Chennai 600 040

3. The Tahsildar
Madavaram Taluk
Tiruvallur District

.. Respondents

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for the issue of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the first respondent herein to consider and pass orders in the appeal dated 28.02.2018, pending on the file of the first respondent, within a time frame as may be fixed by this Hon'ble Court.

For Petitioner :: Mr.Abhinav Parthasarathy

For Respondents :: Mr.B.Anandan
Government Advocate

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed seeking a limited prayer for issuance of mandamus or direction to dispose of the pending revision filed by the petitioner against the order passed by the Revenue Divisional Officer, Ambattur Taluk.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner also stated that it has been wrongly mentioned as appeal in the prayer portion, as, against the order passed by the Revenue Divisional Officer, only revision will lie, as per Section 13 of the Tamil Nadu Patta Pass Book Act, 1986. Since the District Revenue Officer being the competent revisional authority to consider the correctness of the order passed by the Revenue Divisional Officer, the

petitioner has filed the revision and the same is also pending without getting it disposed of. Therefore, he has been advised to come to this Court.

3. The learned Government Advocate for the respondents sought eight weeks time to consider the petitioner's revision petition.

4. This Court, considering the limited prayer, without going to the merits of the matter, hereby directs the District Revenue Officer, Tiruvallur, the first respondent herein to consider the pending revision petition filed under Section 13 of the Tamil Nadu Patta Pass Book Act, 1986 on merits and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. With the above direction, the writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

-s/d-

Assistant Registrar(CS-I)

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KJ(CO)
SP(29/03/2019)