

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 14.11.2019

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE P.D.AUDIKESSAVALU

W.P.NO.16972 OF 2019

Karimullah

... Petitioner

-vs-

1. The District Collector,
Vellore District.
2. The Superintendent of Police,
Vellore District.
3. The Regional Passport Officer,
Royala Towers,
Nos. 2 & 3, 4th Floor,
Old No. 785, New No. 158,
Anna Salai,
Chennai 600 002.
4. Passport Seva Kendra,
Bhanumathi Ramakrishna Road,
Bharani Colony, Vijayaraghavapuram,
Saligramam, Chennai 600 093.
5. Passport Seva Kendra,
Vellore Head Post Office,
Officers Lane, Anna Salai,
Vellore 632 001.
6. The Tahsildhar,
Vellore Taluk Office,
Velapadi,
Vellore 632 001.
7. The Inspector of Police,
Bagayam Police Station,
Vellore District,
Crime No. 550 of 2016.
8. The Inspector of Police,
Vellore South Police Station (Crime),
Vellore District, Crime No. 177 of 2017.

9. The Commissioner,
Vellore Corporation,
Infantry Road, Vellore 632 001.

10. The Zonal Officer,
Zone IV, Vellore Corporation,
Infantry Road, Vellore 632 001.

... Respondents

Prayer:

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the Respondents to consider the Petitioner's representation dated 03.06.2019 and further direct the Third Respondent to issue the passport to the Petitioner based on the Online Passport Application dated 01.05.2018. Application Reference No. 18-1004409109 and my Passport Application No. MA51C5028681718.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Silambuselvan

For Respondents: Mr.M.Karthikeyan, (for RR1, 2, 6 to 8)
Additional Government Pleader

Mr.B.Rabu Manohar (for R3 to R5)
Mrs.P.Shanthi (for R9 & R10)

O R D E R

Heard Mr.S.Silambuselvan, Learned Counsel appearing for the Petitioner, Mr.M.Karthikeyan, Learned Additional Government Pleader appearing on behalf of the First, Second, Sixth to Eighth Respondents, Mr.B.Rabu Manohar, Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of the Third to Fifth Respondents and Mrs.P.Shanthi, Learned Counsel for the Ninth and Tenth Respondents and perused the materials placed on record, apart from the pleadings of the parties.

2. The Writ Petition has been filed for a direction to the Respondents to consider the representation dated 03.06.2019 made by the Petitioner and further direct the Third Respondent to issue passport to the Petitioner based on the Online Passport Application dated 01.05.2018 bearing Application Reference No. 18-1004409109 and Passport Application No. MA51C5028681718.

3. Learned Central Government Standing Counsel appearing on behalf of the Third to Fifth Respondents submits that Passport No.U1698739 dated 08.11.2019 valid till 07.11.2029 has been issued to the Petitioner and has produced a copy of the letter dated 08.11.2019 of the Third Respondent addressed to him

in that regard. Learned Counsel for the Petitioner has made an endorsement acknowledging its receipt. Nothing remains for further consideration in the matter.

4. Recording the subsequent events, the Writ Petition stands disposed. No costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS IX)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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+1cc to Mr.S.Silambuselvan, Advocate, S.R.No.95243
+1cc to Mr.B.Rabu Manohar, Advocate, S.R.No.94665
+1cc to the Government Pleader, S.R.No.95562

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