

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 01.07.2019

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THE HONOURABLE DR.JUSTICE G.JAYACHANDRAN

W.P.No.17694 of 2019

D.S.Sankar

... Petitioner

Versus

1.The Regional Transport Officer,
Transport Department,
Krishnagiri.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Krishnagiri Town Police Station,
Krishnagiri

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for the issue of Writ of Mandamus directing respondents herein to return the driving license of the petitioner bearing No.TN29Z 1985 0000076 forthwith to the petitioner.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Govi Ganesan
for Marudhachalam.M

For Respondents : Mr.D.Suriyanarayanan
Addl. Government Pleader

O R D E R

The petitioner is a driver in the Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Salem Division), Dharmapuri Zone.

2. On 21.04.2019, the petitioner was involved in a motor accident causing death of one person by name Lakshmi Narasimha Balu. A criminal case has been registered against him and also proceedings under Section 19 of Motor Vehicle Act were initiated. The petitioner herein has filed this writ petition seeking Mandamus to direct the respondents to return his driving license.

3. The learned Additional Government Pleader would submit that show cause notice has been issued to the petitioner calling for his explanation why action should not be taken against him under Section 19 of the Motor Vehicle Act. The petitioner has replied to the show cause notice on 24.06.2019.

4. Recording the statement of the learned Additional Government Pleader, this writ Petition is disposed of with the following direction:-

The Regional Transport Officer, Krishnagiri shall pass appropriate order in accordance with law, on or before 12.07.2019 and communicate the same to the petitioner. No costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS IX)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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Krishnagiri.

+1cc to Mr.Marudhachalam.M , Advocate SR.No. 55156

+1 cc to Government Pleader Sr.No. 54930

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