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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 26.03.2019

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **G.R.SWAMINATHAN**

**W.P. (MD) No.5573 of 2019**

G.Shahul Hameed

... Petitioner

Vs

1.The District Collector,  
District Collectorate,  
Pudukkottai,  
Pudukkottai District.

2.The Tahsildar,  
Taluk Office,  
Kulathur,  
Pudukkottai District.

3.Marudhamuthu

4.The Tahsildar,  
Taluk Office,  
Viralimalai,  
Pudukkottai District.

... Respondents

**PRAYER** : Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the fourth respondent herein to dispose petitioner's application under Section 10 of the Patta Pass Book Act, 1983 dated 27.08.2012 within a stipulated period as may be fixed by this Court in the light of order made in W.P.(MD)No.12667 of 2012 on the file of this Court dated 10.11.2017.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Sundar

For R1, R2 & R4 : Mr.M.Karuppasamy  
Government Advocate

**ORDER**

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2.The petitioner gave a petition dated 27.08.2012 under Section 10 of Tamil Nadu Patta Passbook Act, 1983 to the second respondent. Due to bifurcation of the Taluk, the fourth respondent is the competent authority.



3.The fourth respondent is directed to dispose of the petitioner's application dated 27.08.2012 within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. It is made clear that this Court has not gone into the merits of the matter.

4.Accordingly, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (T AND P)

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1CC TO MR. R. SUNDAR, ADVOCATE SR 56698

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