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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 04.11.2019
CORAM:
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.GOVINDARAJ

W.P(MD)No.22992 of 2019

V.Devaraj ... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Collectorate Complex,
Thoothukudi-02.

2.The Block Development Officer,
Kayathar Block Development Office,
Kayathar, Thoothukudi-52.

3.The Deputy Block Development Officer,
Kayathar Block Development Office,
Kayathar, Thoothukudi-52.

4.Panchayat Clerk,
Kannakattai,
Ettayapuram,
Thoothukudi-902. ... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of writ of mandamus, directing the 2nd respondent to disperse his wages for the period of fifty two days work at Kannakattai village, Ettayapuram Taluk, Thoothukudi District for the year 2014-15 based on his representation dated 10/10/2019 with an appropriate interest within a stipulated time fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Masilamani
For Respondents : Mr.J.Gunaseelan Muthaiah
Addl. Government Pleader
for R1
Mrs.V.P.M.Vaishnavi
Govt. Advocate for R-2

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COMMON ORDER

Mr.J.Gunaseelan Muthaiah, learned Additional Government Pleader takes notice for the respondent No.1. Mrs.V.P.M.Vaishnavi, learned Government Advocate takes notice for the second respondent.

2. By consent of both sides, the writ petition is taken up for final disposal.

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3. The petitioner claims that he is entitled to Rs.15,030/- towards the wages out of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Assurance Scheme. Even though he issued a legal notice dated 26.04.2019 and representations dated 27.05.2019 and 10.10.2019, sofar, they have not been considered by the respondents. Hence, he has come before this Court by way of this writ petition.

4.Considering the limited prayer sought for in this writ petition, without going into the merits of the case, a direction is given to the first respondent to dispose of the representation of the petitioner, dated 10.10.2019, on merits and 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 is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

To

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+1 CC to M/s.C.MASILAMANI, Advocate (SR-95739[F] dated 04/11/2019)
+1 CC to M/s.SPL GP (SR-96100[F] dated 05/11/2019)

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