

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 17.09.2020

CORAM :

The HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.DURAI SWAMY

W.P.No.18570 of 2016

C.Raju

...Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited, rep by its Managing Director, 144, Anna Salai, Chennai - 600 002.
2. The Chief Engineer, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Villupuram.
3. The Superintendent Engineer, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Kallakurichi Villupuram.
4. The Assistant Division & Distribution, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Thirukovilur, Villupuram.
5. The Assistant Executive Engineer, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Arakandanallur, Villupuram - 605 752.

...Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuing a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to grant electricity connection in S.F.No.156/7, Kollur Village, Villupuram under the Special Scheme for Agriculture.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Sachinvi Jay for Mr.V.Raghavachari

For Respondents : Mr.M.Varun Kumar,
Standing Counsel - TNEB

O R D E R

The petitioner has filed the above Writ Petition to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to grant electricity

connection in S.F.No.156/7, Kollur Village, Villupuram under the Special Scheme for Agriculture.

2.It is the case of the petitioner that he has given an application on 06.04.2016 for electricity connection, however, the 5th respondent has not considered the same yet.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that it would be suffice to direct the 5th respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 06.04.2016 and pass orders within a time frame.

4.Mr.M.Varun Kumar, learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondents submitted that the 5th respondent may be directed to consider the petitioner's representation in accordance with law.

5.Having regard to the submissions made by the learned counsel on either side, taking into consideration the limited prayer sought for by the learned counsel for the petitioner, without expressing any opinion with regard to the merits of the case, I direct the 5th respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 06.04.2016 and pass orders, on merits and in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible.

6.With these observations, the Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1. The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited,
144, Anna Salai, Chennai - 600 002.
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Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Villupuram.
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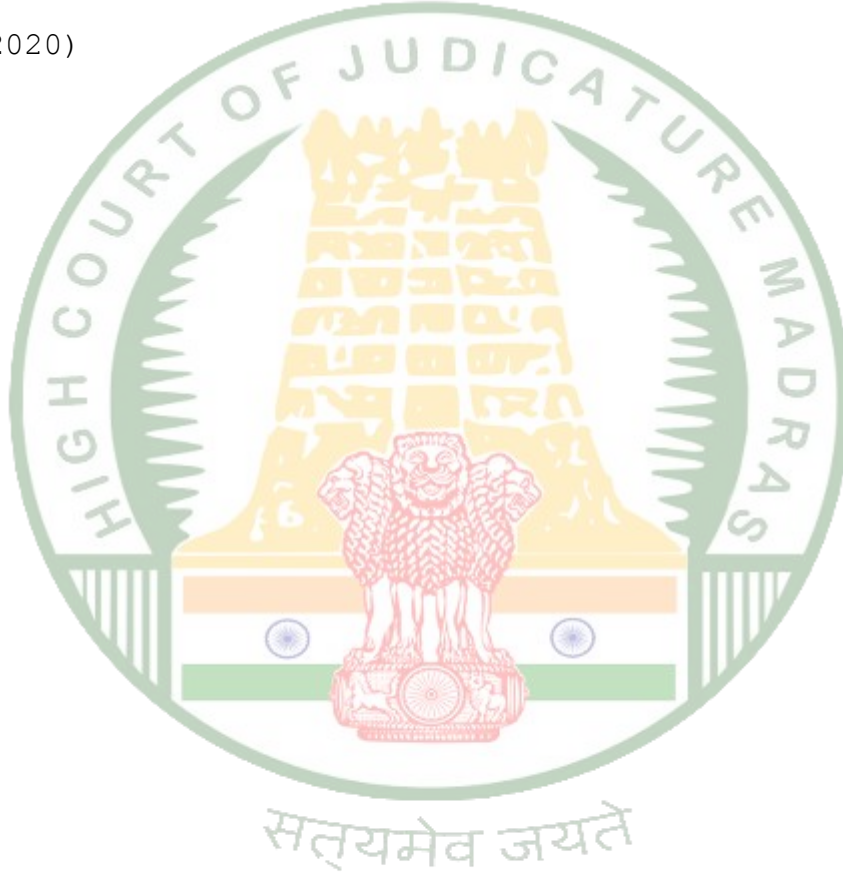
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+1cc to Mr.V.Raghavachari, Advocate in SR.NO..30290

+1cc to Mr.Varunkumar, Advocate in SR.NO.30677

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