

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 22.01.2020

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.V.KARTHIKEYAN

W.P. No.35309 of 2019
and
W.M.P.No.36117 of 2019

S.Yasar Arafath

...Petitioner

Vs

1.The Regional Passport Officer,
Regional Passport Office,
Rayala Towers 2 & 3, IV Floor,
New No.158, Anna Salai,
Chennai-600 002

2.The Inspector of Police,
Tambaram Police Station,
Tambaram,
Chennai-600 045

... Respondent

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of The Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent to pass orders on the representation made by the petitioner dated 31.10.2019 by expunge the remarks regarding the petitioner's passport made in the official communication dated 24.10.2018.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Jimrajmilton

For R1 : M/s.Swarnalatha
CGSC

For R2 : M.Inbanathan
Addl. Govt. Pleader

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The Petition has been filed in the nature of mandamus seeking direction to the respondent to pass orders on the representation made by the petitioner dated 31.10.2019 to expunge the remarks made in the petitioner's passport vide official communication dated 24.10.2018.

2. Mr.S.Jimrajmilton, learned counsel for the petitioner, M/s.S.Swarnalatha learned Central Government Standing Counsel for the 1st respondent and Mr.M.Inbanathan learned Additional Government Pleader for the 2nd respondent are present.

3. The learned Central Government Standing Counsel has forwarded a communication issued by the Regional Passport Officer which is extracted for better reference:

'2000003 CPC MAS
Dated:21.01.2020
Shri. Yasar Arafath Syed Ahamed
S/o Syed Ahamed,
No.6/123, Gandhi Road,
West Tambaram,
Chennai-600 045

Sub: Restoration of Passport facilities-Reg.

Sir,

Please refer to your representation dated 31.10.2019.

As per police verification report, as the criminal case registered against you is only under investigation, this officer reviewed your explanation and restored passport facilities to you.

This is for your information.

Yours Sincerely,

For Regional Passport Officer,
Chennai''

4. In view of the said communication dated 21.01.2020, stating that Passport facilities have been restored, nothing survives in the Writ Petition.

5. With the above observation, the Writ Petition stands closed. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is also closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(J)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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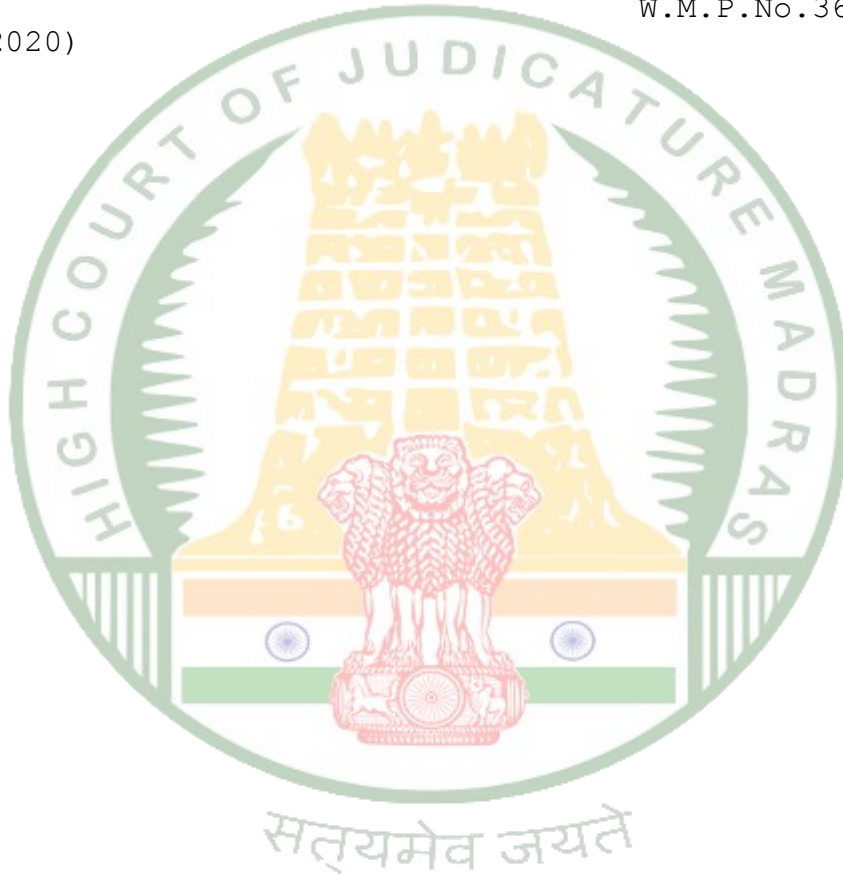
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+2cc to Mr.S.Jim Raj Milton, Advocate, SR.5063
+1cc to Mrs.Swarnalatha, Advocate SR.5057
+1cc to the Government Pleader SR.4754

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