



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED: 19.08.2020
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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

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W.P. (MD)No.9551 of 2020

Gopalan

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The District Collector,
Kanyakumari District,
Nagercoil.
- 2.The Superintendent of Police,
Nagercoil.
- 3.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Padmanabhapuram,
Kanyakumari District.
- 4.The Inspector of Police,
Kanyakumari District.
- 5.Mohan Kumar
- 6.Vasanthi

... Respondents

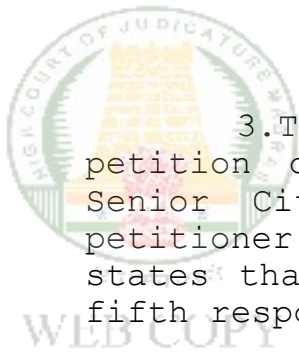
Prayer: Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 4 to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 02.07.2020 and 17.07.2020 made under the Maintenance and Welfare of Senior Citizens Act, 2007.

For Petitioner	: Mr.A.Balakrishnan
For R1 to R4	: Mrs.S.Srimathy Special Government Pleader
For R5 and R6	: Dispensed with

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Mrs.S.Srimathy, learned Special Government Pleader, takes notice for R1 to R4.

2.Considering the nature of relief to be granted in this petition, notice to the private respondents is dispensed with.



3.The petitioner is a senior citizen. He had given a petition dated 02.07.2020 under the Maintenance and Welfare of Senior Citizens Act, 2007 before the third respondent. The petitioner wants consideration of the said petition. The petitioner states that he had already settled his property in favour of the fifth respondent who is none other than his son.

4.Cases of this nature will have to be speedily and expeditiously disposed of. The third respondent is the competent authority. Therefore, the third respondent is directed to dispose of the petition mentioned petition on merits and in accordance with law within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. The third respondent has to necessarily put the private respondents herein on notice before disposing of the petition. I make it clear that I have not gone into the merits of the matter. Merely because, I have allowed this writ petition it does not mean that I have found merit in the claim of the petitioner. The defences of the private respondents herein are left entirely open. All that I have directed is only a speedy disposal of the petitioner's representation. I give this direction at the admission stage itself after putting the learned Special Government Pleader on notice because the petitioner is a senior citizen.

5.The Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To:

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+1 CC to The SPL GP (SR-14504[F] dated 20/08/2020)

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