



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED:26.04.2021

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE T.S.SIVAGNANAM
AND
THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.ANANTHI**

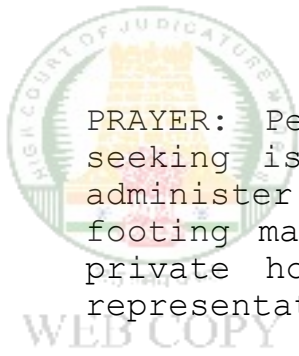
W.P. (MD) No.3722 of 2021

K.K.Ramesh

.. Petitioner

Vs

1. Union of India,
Rep. by its Secretary,
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare,
Nirman Bhawan, C-Wing,
New Delhi - 110 001.
 2. Union of India,
Rep.by its Director General,
Indian Council of Medical Research,
V.Ramalingaswami Bhawan,
Ansari Nagar, Post Box 4911,
New Delhi - 110 029.
 3. The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by its Principal Secretary to Chief Minister,
Chief Minister Office, Secretariat,
Chennai 600 009.
 4. The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by Principal Secretary,
Health and Family Welfare,
Secretariat, Chennai.
 5. The Director,
Tamil Nadu Public Health Department,
Chennai.
 6. The Tamil Nadu Medical Council,
Rep. by its Registrar,
Arumbakkam, Chennai.
- ... Respondents



PRAYER: Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of Mandamus, direction respondents to administer COVID - 19 vaccine to all the people without costs in war footing manner; to fix the fees to administer COVID-19 vaccine in private hospital in Tamil Nadu; By considering the petitioner's representation dated 05.02.2021.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.K.Ramesh(Party-in-Person)

For respondents : Mr.Paulpandi,
CGSC
for R1 and R2

Mr.K.P.Krishnadoss,
Special Government Pleader
for R3 to R5

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by **T.S.SIVAGNANAM, J.**]

We have heard Mr.Paulpandi, learned Central Government Standing Counsel appearing for the respondents 1 and 2 and Mr.K.P.Krishnadoss, learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondents 3 to 5.

2. This writ petition has been filed by the petitioner for a direction upon the respondents to administer COVID - 19 vaccine to all the people without costs in a war footing manner, to fix the fees to administer COVID-19 vaccine in private hospital in Tamil Nadu, by considering the petitioner's representation dated 05.02.2021.

3. Counter affidavit has been filed by the Director of Public Health, from which, we find that adequate measures have been taken by the State Government. Let continued efforts be taken by the State Government to achieve the objective.

4. With the above observation, the writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AS)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)



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To:

1. The Principal Secretary to Chief Minister,
State of Tamil Nadu,
Chief Minister Office, Secretariat,
Chennai 600 009.
2. The Principal Secretary,
State of Tamil Nadu,
Health and Family Welfare,
Secretariat, Chennai.
3. The Director,
Tamil Nadu Public Health Department,
Chennai.
4. The Registrar,
Tamil Nadu Medical Council,
Arumbakkam, Chennai.

+1 CC to M/s.SPL GP (SR-17763[F] dated 27/04/2021)

+1 CC to M/s.K.K.RAMESH, Advocate (SR-17776[F] dated 28/04/2021)

+1 CC to M/s.P.PAUL PANDI, Advocate (SR-17816[F] dated 28/04/2021)

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