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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Special Original Jurisdiction)

Friday, the Twenty Third day of April Two Thousand and Twenty One
PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice T.S.SIVAGNANAM
And

The Hon`ble Mrs.Justice S.ANANTHI
WMP(MD) Nos.10132 and 10133 of 2020

IN

WP(MD) No.11638 of 2020

S.VIJAYAKUMAR

... PETITIONER/PETITIONER
IN BOTH THE PETITIONS

Vs

1 UNION OF INDIA REP BY ITS SECRETARY,
MINISTRY FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY, NEW DELHI

2 UNIVERSITY GRANT COMMISSION, NEW DELHI

3 THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU
REP. BY THROUGH ITS CHIEF SECRETARY,
FORT ST.GEORGE, CHENNAI

4 THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU
REP. THROUGH ITS SECRETARY,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION,
FORT ST GEORGE, CHENNAI

5 THE NATIONAL ACADEMIC DEPOSITORY,
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONIC AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
4TH FLOOR, ELECTRONIC NIKETAN CGO COMPLEX
LODHI ROAD, NEW DELHI

... RESPONDENTS / RESPONDENTS
IN BOTH THE PETITIONS

Prayer in WMP(MD)No.10132/2020

Petition filed praying that in the circumstances stated therein and in the affidavit filed therewith the High Court may be pleased to pass a direction on to the 3rd respondent directing consider the representation dated 26.8.2020 and to implement the digital locker facility for furnishing certificates and other documents appended with Digital signatures with all departments pending disposal of the above Writ Petition.

Prayer in WMP(MD). 10133/ 2020 :

Petition filed praying that in the circumstances stated therein and in the affidavit filed therewith the High Court may be pleased to direct the 3rd to 5th respondents to formulate a protocol/mechanism with regarding to adopting and implementing Digital Locker with regard to academic records of the students within a time frame pending disposal of the above Writ Petition.



Constitution of India, praying this Court Pleased to pass an order direction or writ much in the nature of a writ of Mandamus directing the 3rd respondent to implement the digital locker facility for furnishing certificates and other documents appended with Digital signatures within a time frame.

ORDER : This petition coming up for orders on this day, upon perusing the petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Mr.K.P.S.PALANIVEL RAJAN, Advocate for the petitioner, the court made the following order:-

The interim prayer sought is also part of the main relief and therefore, unless and until the main issue is decided, the interim prayer cannot be granted.

Hence these petitions are closed.

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23/04/2021

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

TO

- 1 THE SECRETARY,
UNION OF INDIA, MINISTRY FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY, NEW DELHI
- 2 UNIVERSITY GRANT COMMISSION, NEW DELHI
- 3 THE CHIEF SECRETARY,
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