



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 19.08.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE SENTHILKUMAR RAMAMOORTHY

W.P (MD) No.14696 of 2021

A.Ramkumar

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Office of the Revenue Divisional Officer,
Sivagangai Revenue Division,
Sivagangai District.

2.The Tahsildar,
Thiruppuvanam Taluk Office,
Thiruppuvanam Taluk,
Sivagangai District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the first respondent herein to dispose of the petitioner's appeal dated 10.05.2021 within the time stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Thalaimutharasu
For Respondents : Mr.R.Baskaran
Counsel for State.

ORDER

The petitioner seeks the expeditious disposal of an appeal filed before the jurisdictional Revenue Divisional Officer against the refusal by the Tahsildar to grant a Legal Heirship Certificate.

2. The petitioner states that he was born to his father, the late Alagumalai, through his first wife Petchiammal. It is stated that his father married one Rakku after the death of Petchiammal. Two children were born to his father and the said Rakku. Upon the death by murder of his father, the petitioner applied for a Legal Heirship Certificate. Such Certificate was not granted. Therefore, the petitioner filed an appeal before the first respondent on 10.05.2021. The present writ petition is filed for the expeditious disposal thereof.

3. Mr.R.Baskaran, learned counsel for the State, accepts notice on behalf of both the respondents. In view of the limited



scope of the present writ petition, he submits that he has no objection to the expeditious disposal of the appeal.

4. Accordingly, without going into the merits of the matter, the first respondent herein is directed to consider the appeal dated 10.05.2021 and dispose of the same within a period of three (3) months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order after providing a reasonable opportunity to the petitioner and the other legal heirs of the late Alagumalai.

5. W.P.(MD).No.14696 of 2021 is disposed of on these terms without any order as to costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS I)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

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Thiruppuvanam Taluk,
Sivagangai District.

+1 CC to M/s.G.THALAIMUTHARASU, Advocate (SR-26881
[F] dated 23/08/2021)

+1 CC to M/s.GP (SR-26892[F] dated 23/08/2021)

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