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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 06.01.2022

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.M. SUBRAMANIAM

W.P.No.35869 of 2016

A.Abdul Majith

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Member Secretary,
Coastal Aquaculture Authority of India,
Ministry of Agriculture,
12-A Bharathi Street,
Vanuvampettai,
Madipakkam,
Chennai- 91

2. The Chairman/Collector
District Level Committee,
Coastal Aquaculture Authority,
Villupuram District,
Villupuram

...Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to grant Registration/License to the petitioner to run aqua farm in (Kottakuppam) Nadukkuppam Village Marakkanam Taluk Villupuram District bearing S. Nos.625/2 and 625/4 by considering the application dated 04.07.2016.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Baskar

For Respondents R.1 & R.2: Mr.S.Muthusamy

O R D E R

The relief sought for in the present Writ Petition is to direct the respondent to grant Registration/License to the petitioner to run aqua farm in (Kottakuppam) Nadukkuppam Village Marakkanam Taluk Villupuram District bearing S. Nos.625/2 and 625/4 by considering the application dated 04.07.2016.

2.The learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner deposited a sum of Rs.500/- towards application fee.



3.This Court is of the considered opinion that five years lapsed and the reason for non-consideration of the application is not placed before this Court. In view of the efflux of time, the petitioner is permitted to submit a fresh application, if he is otherwise eligible and in the event of the petitioner submitting a fresh application, the authorities competent are bound to consider the same strictly in accordance with rules and regulation and on merits.

4.With these observations, the Writ Petition stands disposed of. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous Petition is also closed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS-III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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+1cc to Mr.D.Baskar, Advocate, S.R.No.2052

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