



W.P.No.32540 of 2022

THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 05.12.2022

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.SUBRAMANIAN

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Parameshwari

...Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Collectorate Office,
Ranipet District.

2.The Superintendent of Police,
Office of the Superintendent of Police,
Ranipet District.

3.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Office of the Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Ranipet District.

4.Inspector of Police,
Arakkonam Town Police Station,
Ranipet District.

5.Ilayaraja

6.Lakshmi

..Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st respondent to take appropriate action as against the respondents 5 and 6 by invoking Protection



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of Life and Property of Senior Citizens as contemplated under the Maintenance & Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007 based on the petitioner's representations dated 16.09.2022 and 17.10.2022 and to pass appropriate orders in that regard within the stipulated time.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Thirumoorthy

For Respondents : Ms.P.Rajarajeswari

Government Advocate for R1

ORDER

The prayer in the Writ Petition reads as follows:-

directing the 1st respondent to take appropriate action as against the respondents 5 and 6 by invoking Protection of Life and Property of Senior Citizens as contemplated under the Maintenance & Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007 based on the petitioner's representations dated 16.09.2022 and 17.10.2022 and to pass appropriate orders in that regard within the stipulated time.

2.Of course, it should be stated that the representations made by the petitioner to the District Collector are not very clear and they do not state even the provision under which, the protection or maintenance is sought for.



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3.Mr.D.Thirumoorthy, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that she being an illiterate lady without any support she had sent these representations but the object was to seek maintenance.

4.Considering the nature of the grievance and the powers of the maintenance tribunal namely, the District Collector under the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007, this Writ Petition is disposed of with a direction to the District Collector, Raniept to treat the representation of the petitioner dated 17.10.2022 as one under Section 5 of the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act and dispose of the same in accordance with the provisions of the said Act within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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