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W.P.No.33297 of 2018

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 23.09.2022

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ABDUL QUDDHOSE

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... Petitioner

Versus

- 1.M.D.India,
Health Insurance Pvt Ltd.,
(Unit of India Insurance Co.Limited),
Guna Complex,
Nos.443 and 445 Anna Salai,
Teynampet, Chennai-600 018.
2. The District Collector,
District Collectorate Office,
Sathuvachari,
Vellore Distirict-632 012.
3. The Joint Director of Medical Rural Health Department,
TADCO Building, Trichy Road,
Vellore District-632 009.
4. The Divisional Manager,
United India Insurance Company Limited,
Divisional Office-010 600, 5th floor,
PLA Rathna Towers,
212, Anna Salai,
Chennai-600 006

... Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue Writ of Mandamus directing the first respondent herein to reimburse medical expenses of Rs.1,88,760/- incurred by the petitioner for taking treatment



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at Sri Chandrasekara Hospital, Bangalur Road, Hosur and other medical expenses.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Charles Muthu Santhan
For Respondents : Mr.U.M.Ravichandran
Spl.Govt. Pleader
For R.1 to R.3
Mr.T.Shanmugam
For R.4

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for a Mandamus seeking for a direction to the first respondent to reimburse the medical expenses of Rs.1,88,760/- incurred by the petitioner for taking treatment at Sri Chandrasekara Hospital, Bangalur Road, Hosur .

2. The petitioner is working as a Conductor in Tamil Nadu Government Transport Corporation, Villupuram District, Gudiyatham Depot, Vellore District. On 16.09.2017, he had experienced an acute and massive cardiac arrest and he was admitted in Sri Chandrasekara Hospital, Bangalur Road, Hosur and he was discharged from hospital on 21.09.2017. According to the petitioner, he had incurred medical expenses of Rs.1,95,819/-. According to the petitioner, he has been paying a sum of Rs.180/- per month as premium for the insurance policy and therefore, he is eligible for reimbursement of his medical expenses. The



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requesting for reimbursement of his medical expenses. According to the petitioner, the said representation has not been considered by the respondents till date. In such circumstances, the petitioner has filed this writ petition.

3. No prejudice would be caused to the respondents if the petitioner's representation is considered on merits and in accordance with law within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

4. For the forgoing reasons, this Court directs the respondents 2 and 3 to pass final orders on merits and in accordance with law on the petitioner's representation dated 04.11.2017, requesting for medical reimbursement of the sum, alleged to have been incurred by the petitioner, for taking treatment at Sri Chandrasekara Hospital, Bangalur Road, Hosur within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

With the aforesaid direction, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

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Speaking Order/Non-Speaking Order

ABDUL QUDDHOSE, J



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