



W.P(MD)No.14620 of 2022

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 28.07.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

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Hotel RSR Apple Tree,
419-A, Near Bus Stand,
Sattur Road, Sivakasi,
Rep. by its Partner,
R.Shanmugaiah.

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Government of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by its Secretary,
Fort St.George,
Chennai – 600 009.

2.The Director of Medical & Health Services,
Public Health Department,
359, Anna Salai,
Chockalingam Nagar,
Teniampet,
Chennai – 600 006.

3.The Deputy Director of Health Services,
Sivakasi,
Virudhunagar District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents herein immediately pay a sum of Rs.3,64,950/- with interest at the rate of 12% per annum from 30.06.2021 till the date of payment towards accommodation



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charges for the doctors and nurses by considering the representation of the petitioner dated 15.06.2022.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Sivaraman

For Respondents : Mr.K.Balasubramani,
Spl. Government Pleader.

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel for the writ petitioner and the Special Government Pleader for the respondents.

2.The petitioner/hotel is functioning in Sivakasi. When the pandemic was at its peak, pursuant to the demand made by the respondents, the petitioner/hotel was made available to provide both accommodation and food to the medical personnel from 12.05.2021 to 30.06.2021. However, the bills have not been settled till date. That led to the filing of the writ petition.

3.It is unfortunate that the claims of the writ petitioner have not been settled till date. The third respondent is directed to pay the petition mentioned amount to the writ petitioner within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



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4.The writ petition is allowed accordingly. No costs.

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