



W.P.(MD) No.5210 of 2018

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 14.09.2022

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.MAHADEVAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE J.SATHYA NARAYANA PRASAD**

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and

W.M.P.(MD) Nos.5196, 7199, 13967, 20758, 20759 of 2018

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... Petitioner

-VS-

- 1.The Secretary to Government
Department of Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare
Secretariat
Fort St.George, Chennai
- 2.National Commission for Schedule Castes
Government of India State Office
rep.by its Assistant Director
2nd floor, Shastri Bhavan
Chennai
- 3.Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare
Kamarajarsalai
Chepauk
Chennai-05



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4.The District Collector
Korampallam
Thoothukudi District

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of mandamus directing the respondents not to merge / include the petitioner's community Vathiriyar Caste under the single name as Devendrakula Velalar and direct the respondents to continue the petitioner's community in the serial No.72 in the Schedule Caste list.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Siva Ilayaraja

For Respondents : Mr.P.Thilakkumar
Government Pleader for R1, R3 & R4
Mr.H.Lakshmi Shankar for R2

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by R.MAHADEVAN, J.]

When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the relief sought for in this writ petition has become infructuous.



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2. In view of the above submission of the learned counsel for the petitioner, the writ petition is dismissed as infructuous. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

[R.M.D., J.] [J.S.N.P., J.]

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Index : Yes / No

Internet : Yes / No

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