



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 28.02.2023

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THE HON'BLE Mr. JUSTICE **C.V.KARTHIKEYAN**

W.P.No.5941 of 2023

P.Balasubramanian

.. Petitioner

Vs.

The Sub Registrar cum
Registrar of Births and Deaths,
Chetpet,
Thiruvannamalai District.

.. Respondent

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India
praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent to enter the
petitioners name in birth certificate registered as No.10 dated 16.07.1963.

For Petitioner

.. Mr.S.C.Vishwanth

For Respondent

.. Mr.U.Baranidharan

Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The writ petition has been filed in the nature of Mandamus, seeking
direction to the respondent to enter the name of the petitioner, in the Birth
Certificate, which had been registered as No.10 dated 16.07.1963.



2. The petitioner stated that he was born on 15.07.1963. The names of his parents were Poongavanam and Mohanam. The said birth was registered as No.10 dated 16.07.1963. It is stated that unfortunately, his name had not been entered in the Birth Certificate. It is stated that when he wanted to correct that in the service register, his employer wanted the name in the Birth Certificate. The petitioner had given a representation to the respondent namely the Sub-Registrar Cum Registrar of Births and Deaths, Chetpet, Thiruvannamalai District.

3. It is stated by the learned Additional Government Pleader that the representation has to be given to the Revenue Divisional Officer, Thiruvannamalai District, who is the competent authority. Let a fresh representation be given to the Revenue Divisional Officer, Thiruvannamalai District. The petitioner has also sought for correction of his date of Birth. That is not permissible without due enquiry. The name alone can be entered in the Birth Certificate. Necessary enquiries can be made by the Revenue Divisional Officer and the name alone can be entered. The change of date of birth, is a separate issue and it cannot be addressed at this stage.



C.V.KARTHIKEYAN,J.

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4. With the above direction, the writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

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To

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