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WP.No.21154 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 20.07.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUMAR

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L.Siyam Sundar

.. Petitioner

Versus

1.The State of Tamil Nadu
Rep by the Secretary to Government
High Level Empowered Committee
Finance (Insurance) Department
Secretariat, Chennai – 600 009

2. The Commissioner of Treasuries and Accounts
3rd Floor, Perasiriyar K.Anbazhagan Maligai
No.571, Anna Salai
Nandanam, Chennai – 600 035

3.The Joint Director of Medical
and Rural Health Services
Health and Family Welfare Department
Salem – 1, Salem District

4.United India Insurance Co. Ltd
Rep by its Divisional Manager
New Health Insurance Scheme – 2016
Divisional Office: 010600
No.212, PLA Rathna Towers, Anna Salai
Chennai – 600 006

.. Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India

praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 2 to 4 to



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reimburse the medical expenses incurred by the petitioner for himself and their children treatment a sum of Rs.1,27,985/- along with interest.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.R.Jothimanian

For Respondents : Mr.P.Baladhandayutham for R1 to R3
Special Government Pleader
Mr.T.Shanmugam for R4

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed seeking to direct the respondents 2 to 4 to reimburse the medical expenses incurred by the petitioner for himself and their children treatment a sum of Rs.1,27,985/- along with interest.

2. It is the case of the petitioner that he is working as Forester in the Forest Department. It is the grievance of the writ petitioner that himself and his children were admitted at the M/s.Dharan Hospital from 05.11.2021 to 02.11.2021 and subsequently they were discharged. They paid a sum of Rs.1,27,985/- to the Hospital. Hence, he made an application claiming reimbursement, which was subsequently, forwarded to the second respondent. The second respondent recommended the application to the fourth respondent for disbursal of the same vide proceedings dated 29.07.2022, which is pending without consideration. Hence, this writ petition.



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3. Heard both sides and perused the materials placed on record.

4. On perusal of the communication in Rc.No.7642/NHIS-1/2022 dated 29.07.2022 sent by the second respondent to the fourth respondent Insurance Company, which would indicate that the second respondent has forwarded the application regarding medical reimbursement as per the eligibility criteria.

5. Such view of the matter, the fourth respondent is directed to disburse the medical reimbursement to the petitioner as per the eligibility criteria within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this Order.

6. Accordingly, this writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

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Internet: Yes/No

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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