



W.P(MD)No.6163 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 21.03.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.V.KARTHIKEYAN

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Sakthivel Raja

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The District Collector / Chairman,
District Rural Development Agency,
Collectorate, Trichy-620 001.
2. The Additional Collector / Project Officer,
District Rural Development Agency,
Collectorate, Trichy-620 001.
3. The Block Development Officer,
Manaparai Block, Trichy District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the first respondent to consider the petitioner's representation, dated 07.03.2023 and to pay the petitioner company a sum of Rs.15,83,076/- (Rupees Fifteen Lakhs Eighty Three Thousand and Seventy Six only).



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For Petitioner : Mr.M.Gurudas
For R1 and R2 : Mr.J.Ashok
Additional Government Pleader
For R3 : Mr.J.K.Jayaseelan
Government Advocate

ORDER

The Writ Petition has been filed in the nature of mandamus, seeking direction against the first respondent/District Collector/ Chairman, District Rural Development Agency, Collectorate, Trichy to consider the representation given by the petitioner on 07.03.2023, with respect to unpaid amount of a sum of Rs.15,83,076/- (Rupees Fifteen Lakhs Eighty Three Thousand and Seventy Six only), towards the work already executed by the petitioner in his capacity as a Contractor.

2.The learned counsel for the petitioner stated that the petitioner was allotted totally 22 number of works by the first respondent and he had completed all of them and also submitted bills before the first respondent. The first respondent has cleared 20 bills and paid to the petitioner. However, bills are unpaid for the remaining two works. Therefore, the petitioner had given a representation before the first respondent.



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3.Mr.J.Ashok, the learned Additional Government Pleader, who takes notice for the respondents No.1 and 2 stated that there will be a meeting in this regard and thereafter, necessary orders shall be passed.

4.In view of the above facts, a direction is given to the first respondent to consider the representation given by the petitioner and pass necessary orders, on or before **31.07.2023**.

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

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NCS : Yes/No
Index : Yes / No
Internet: Yes/ No
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