



W.P(MD)No.18132 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
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DATED: 27.07.2023

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

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T.Arulandhu Vincent

... Petitioner

Vs

1.The Tamil Nadu Information Commissioner,
O/o.The Tamil Nadu Information Commission,
Block No.19,
Government Farm Village,
Nandhanam,
Chennai - 600 035.

2.The District Collector,
O/o.The District Collector,
Sivagangai,
Sivagangai District.

3.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
O/o.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Sivagangai District,
Sivagangai.

...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 take the second appeal dated 29.05.2023 filed



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by the petitioner under Section 19(3) of the Right to Information Act 2005 and pass appropriate order and consequently direct the respondents 2 & 3 to furnish the information on the basis of the petitioner's application dated 23.01.2023.

For Petitioner	:Mr.D.Shanmugaraja Sethupathi
For R1	:Mr.Raguraman Gopalan Standing Counsel
For R2 & R3	:Mr.M.Sarangan Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner with a grievance that the appeal filed by the petitioner before the Information Commission has not been taken on file has filed this writ petition for a Mandamus.

2.Mr.Raguraman Gopalan, learned Standing Counsel who takes notice for the first respondent submits that the appeal filed by the petitioner has already been taken on file and it will be disposed of within a reasonable time. The Statue prescribes eight weeks time to conclude the appeal.



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3.Considering the submission made by the learned Standing Counsel that the petitioner's appeal has already been taken on file, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the first respondent to dispose of the appeal within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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NCC : Yes / No.

Index : Yes / No.

Internet:Yes

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