



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 28.07.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P.(MD)No.23399 of 2015 AND
M.P.(MD)No.1 of 2015 & W.M.P.(MD)No.6615 of 2021

P.Krishnaveni

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector,
Collectorate,
Madurai District.
2. The District Forest Officer,
O/o.The District Forest Office,
Srivilliputhur Division,
Srivilliputhur.
3. The Wildlife Warden,
Grizzled Squirrel Sanctuary,
Srivilliputhur Division,
Srivilliputhur.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to call for the records pertaining to the impugned order in Na.Ka.No.1131/2015-M dated 01.10.2015 on the file of respondent No.3 and quash the same as illegal and consequently direct the Respondent No.2 to grant licence for the petitioner's Saw Mill as per the Rule 4(2) of the Tamil Nadu Regulation of Wood Based Industries Rules, 2010 within the time stipulated by this Court.



For Petitioner : Mr.S.Rajasekar
For Respondents : Mr.N.Satheesh Kumar,
Additional Government Pleader.

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ORDER

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2. The petitioner wanted to run a saw mill and applied to the third respondent. On 01.10.2015, the petitioner's request was rejected. Challenging the same, this writ petition came to be filed.

3. Due to subsequent developments, the petitioner can very well re-submit her application. The petitioner has to submit her Aadhar card and furnish GST number along with her application. The petitioner's fresh application shall be considered on merits and in accordance with law by the third respondent who has been now re-designated as Deputy Director of Tiger Reserve Forest, Srivilliputhur and Megamalai, Srivilliputhur, Virudhunagar District within a



period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of the application. This writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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NCC : Yes / No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes / No
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