



WP (MD) No. 21561 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 27.09.2023

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

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Rajammal

... Petitioner

Vs

1.The Chairman,
TANGEDCO,
Annasalai,
Chennai.

2.The Superintendent Engineer,
TANGEDCO, Madurai.

3.The Assistant Engineer,
TANGEDCO,
Melur, Madurai District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 18.07.2023 claiming a sum of Rs.12 lakhs towards compensation for the death of the petitioner's husband Alagu, who died due to Electrocution on



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31.10.2022 within the time limit fixed by this Court.

For petitioner : Mr.PT.S.Narendravasan
For Respondents: Mr.S.Deenadayalan
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The petitioner with a grievance that the respondents have not provided compensation for the death of the petitioner's husband has filed this writ petition.

2.The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner's husband one Alagu died on 31.10.2022 due to electrocution. However, the compensation amount has not yet been provided by the respondent TANGEDCO. Hence, the petitioner has made a representation before the respondents on 18.07.2023. However, the same has not been considered by the respondents.

3.The learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondent Board requests some time for filing counter affidavit.



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4.This writ petition was entertained by this court on 04.09.2023 and was adjourned to 19.09.2023 for the response of the respondent TANGECO. The respondents are still seeking time for filing counter affidavit.

5.Considering the relief sought for by the petitioner, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to consider the case of the petitioner in the light of the proceedings issued by the TANGEDCO in Per.FB TANGEDCO Proceedings No.6 dated 16.10.2019 within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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