



W.P(MD)No.28558 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 04.12.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P(MD)No.28558 of 2023

and

W.M.P.(MD)No.24614 of 2023

K.Master Stalin

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Revenue Officer cum
Additional District Administrative Magistrate,
Kanniyakumari District,
Nagercoil.

2.The Taluk Supply Officer,
Kalkulam,
Kanniyakumari District.

3.The Regional Transport Officer,
Marthandam / Nagercoil,
Kanniyakumari District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents 1 and 2 to hand over the original RC Book, permit and insurance certificate of petitioners vehicle bearing Registration No. TN-74-Q-2059 within a stipulated time may be fixed by this Honble Court and consequently direct the 3rd respondent to renew the Fitness Certificate and permit of above vehicle.



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For Petitioner : Mr.M.Saravanakumar

For Respondents : Mr.S.Ra.Ramachandran
Additional Government Pleader for R1 to R3

ORDER

Heard both sides.

2. The petitioner's vehicle was involved in a PDS case. The petitioner approached this Court and obtained interim custody. Subsequently, confiscation was ordered. Challenging the same, the petitioner filed writ petition before this court and obtained interim stay. The writ petition is still pending. In the mean while, the validity of the petitioner's fitness certificate has expired. All that the petitioner wants is to direct the respondents 1 & 2 to hand over the same for the purpose of renewal.

3. The petitioner is permitted to approach the first respondent on 08.12.2023 at 03.00 pm. The petition mentioned documents will be handed over by the first respondent to the petitioner. The petitioner shall complete all the renewal formalities and return the documents in original to the first respondent on or before 22.12.2023. If the petitioner fails to return the documents after receiving them from the first respondent, this Court will not hesitate to initiate contempt proceedings against the petitioner.



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4. The Writ Petition is allowed on these terms. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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