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W.P. No.1086 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 25.04.2024

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.M. SUBRAMANIAM

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1.V. Sasikumar
2. K. Malligeawari
3. G. Krishan

... Petitioners

vs.

1. The General Manager,
Indian Oil Corporation Ltd.,
Marketing Division,
Southern Region,
Indian Oil Bhavan,
No.139, Mahatima Gandhi Road,
Nungambakkam High Road,
Chennai – 600 034.

2. The Divisional LPG Sales Head,
Indian Oil Corporation Ltd.,
Marketing Division,
Avinashi Road,
Coimbatore – 641 018.

3. Bala Gas Agencies,
No.599-H-B, Mettur Main Road,
Near Bus Stand,
Bhavani,
Erode – 638 301.



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4. ICICI Lombard General Insurance Co. Ltd.,
ICICI Lombard House,
No.414, Veer Sarakar,
Near Siddhi Vinayak Temple,
Prabhadevi,
Mumbai – 400 025.

5. ICICI Lombard General Insurance Co. Ltd.,
140, Chotabhai Centre,
2nd and 3rd Floor,
Nungambakkam High Road,
Near Yes Bank & Near Income Tax Office,
Nungambakkam,
Chennai,
Tamil Nadu – 600 034.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 and 2 to direct the respondents 4 and 5 to pay the compensation to the petitioners 1 and 2, a sum of Rs.30,00,000/- with interest at rate of 7.5% from the date of death of the petitioners' mother, namely, V. Dhanalakshmi due to die in defective cylinder and valve provided by 1 to 3 respondents based on the petitioner representation dated 04.12.2020.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Selvam

For Respondents : Mr.Mohammed Fayaz Ali
for R1 and R2
Mr.J. Ranjith Kumar for R3
No appearance for R4
Mr.B. Sivakollapan for R5



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ORDER

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2.With reference to the relief sought for in the Writ proceedings, the learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the respondent/Oil Corporation has already sanctioned a sum of Rs.6,00,000/- towards compensation. Since the petitioner has not approached the 1st respondent, the respondents could not able to pay the compensation.

3.In view of the said submission, the petitioner is at liberty to approach the 1st respondent for the purpose of collecting the compensation amount already sanctioned in favour of the petitioner.



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With this liberty, this Writ Petition stands disposed of. No costs.

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To

1. The District Collector,
District Collector Office,
GST Road,
Chengalpattu – 603 001.

2. The Tahsildhar,
Vandalur Taluk Office,
Otteri,
Peerakankaranai,
Chennai – 600 048.

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