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Writ Petition No.21677 of 2021

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated: 16/12/2024

C O R A M

THE HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE VIVEK KUMAR SINGH

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a n d

W.M.P.No.22849 of 2021

1. P. Nagajothi
 2. P. Shanmugapriya
- ...
- Petitioners

Vs

1. The State of Tamil Nadu
rep. By its Secretary to the Government
Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department
Secretariat, Fort St. George
Chennai 600 009.
2. The Director
Directorate of Horticulture and Plantation Crops
III Floor, Agriculture Complex
Ezhilagam, Chepauk
Chennai 600 005.
3. The Deputy Director
Office of the Deputy Director of Horticulture
and Plantation Crops
No.7 A Vivekanandar Salai
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Tiruvallur 620 001.



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4. P. Kalavathi

5. P. Sivakumar

...

Respondents

PRAYER : Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 3 to disburse to the petitioners, the proportionate share from the death-cum-terminal benefits of their deceased father Mr.N.S.Prasath, S/o.N.Subramaniam.

For petitioner ... Mr.Niranjan Rajagopalan

For respondents ... Mr.R.U.Dinesh Rajkumar
Additional Government Pleader
for R.R.1 to 3.

Not ready in notice
for R.R.4 and 5.

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ORDER

This writ petition has been filed to direct the respondents 1 to 3 to disburse to the petitioners, the proportionate share from the death-cum-terminal benefits of their deceased father Mr.N.S.Prasath, S/o.N.Subramaniam.



WEB COPY 2. The facts in brief are as follows:-

The petitioners are the legal heirs of the deceased father. They made several representations dated 23/4/2013, 22/11/2019, 4/1/2020, 20/7/2020 and 3/8/2020 to the first and second respondents to disburse the terminal benefits of the deceased father. Since the same has not been considered so far, petitioners have come forward with the instant writ petition.

3. Heard Mr.Niranjan Rajagopalan, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.R.U.Dinesh Rajkumar, Additional Government Pleader for the respondents 1 to 3.

4. The learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents 1 to 3 submitted that both the petitioners are entitled to each 25% of the share in the terminal benefits of their deceased father. The second petitioner has already received her share of Rs.1,56,794/- long back. As far as the first petitioner, viz., Nagajothi is concerned, marriage certificate of the first petitioner and other related documents were sent to the Principal Accountant General. After getting approval from the Principal



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Accountant General, the third respondent will disburse the share of the first petitioner.

5. Recording the submission of the learned Additional Government Pleader, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

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Index: yes/No

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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