



W.P.No.20044 of 2020

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated : 06.03.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE J.NISHA BANU

W.P.No.20044 of 2020
and WMP.No.24724 of 2020

R.Varun Prasanth

... Petitioner

vs.

1.State Bank of India

Assistant General Manager,
Racpc Ayyappan Thangal
No.50, AR Plaza, Mount Poonamalle,
High Road, Ayyappanthangal,
Chennai 600 056.

2.The Regional Director, SBI Life Insurance Company Limited,
4th Floor, Centennial Square,
6A, Dr.Ambethkar Road,
Kodampakkam, Chennai 600 024.

3.Chairman, Insurance Regulatory and Development,
Authority of India
No.115/1, Financial District,
Nanakramguda, Gachibowli,
Hyderabad 500 032.

4.Office of the Insurance Ombudsman,
(Tamil Nadu and Pondicherry),
Fathima Akthar Court, 4th Floor
453, Annasalai, Teynampet, Chennai 18.
...Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus Calling for the entire records pertaining to impugned award passed by the 4th respondent in award



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No.IO /CHNB / A /LI /0165/2019 - 20 dated 31/03/2020 and quash the same and consequently direct the 2nd respondent to honor the claim of Rs.30 55 304/- made by the petitioner in respect of health insurance policy availed by petitioners father in Policy No.70000018310 dated 01/06/2017 without insisting for any further documentations or particulars in accordance with the law.

For Petitioners : Mr.R.Subburaj

For RR1 : Mr.V.Venkatasesaiya
standing counsel

For RR2 : Mr.S.Sasikumar

For RR3 : Mr.A.Ramasamy

ORDER

When the matter was taken up for hearing on 30.01.2024, the learned counsel for the petitioner stated that the petitioner died and sought time to bring the legal heirs on record. Therefore, the matter was directed to be posted after two weeks. Thereafter, when the matter was called on 21.02.2024, again, the learned counsel for the petitioner sought for further time to take steps and thus, the matter was adjourned to 06.03.2024.

2. Today when the matter is called, there is no representation on the side of the petitioner and the learned counsel for the petitioner has also not taken any steps to implead the legal heirs of the petitioner.



3. Considering that learned counsel for the petitioner is not being ready with the matter even though this Court granted adjournments on two earlier occasions for taking steps, no steps have been taken so far. Hence, this Court has no other option except to dismiss this writ petition.

4. Therefore, this Writ Petition is dismissed as abated. No costs. Consequently connected miscellaneous petition is also closed.

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