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W.P.No.22133 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 07.08.2024

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR.D.KRISHNAKUMAR, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE P.B.BALAJI

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M.Saravanan

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Revenue Divisional Officer (RDO)
Office of the Revenue Divisional Office
Central Chennai Division
Anna Nagar, Chennai 600 101.

2. The Tahsildar
Maduravoyal Taluka Office
Chennai 600 037.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to provide the community certificate – Hindu Malai Kuravar Caste (Schedule Tribes (ST) Category) on the basis of petitioner wife D.Sagundala's School Transfer Certificate document and his own brother M.Ramesh Kumar's Community Certificate and a report of Village Administrative Officer (VAO) for both daughter Ms.Saranya and Ms.Deepa studying 10th standard and 8th standard in Nathan Girls High



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School, Nerkundram, Chennai 600 107 based on the petitioner's online application vide No.TN-520230807969 and TN-520230807761 dated 07.08.2023 and representation letters on 10.05.2024 and 13.06.2024.

For the Petitioner : Mr.S.Pavesh Kannan

For the Respondents : Mr.T.K.Saravanan
Government Advocate

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by
the Hon'ble Acting Chief Justice)

By consent, the writ petition itself is taken up for final disposal at the time of admission.

2. According to the petitioner, he belongs to Hindu Malai Kuravar Caste (Schedule Tribe). He applied online for community certificate for his daughters studying 10th and 8th standard respectively, enclosing the transfer certificate of his wife and community certificate of his brother, as he does not have any document, along with the report of Village Administrative Officer. As certificates have not been issued, he made representations to the respondents on 10.05.2024 and 13.06.2024 and has come up before this Court.



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3. Learned Government Advocate takes notice for the respondents and submits that the respondents will conduct field inspection to ascertain the community of the petitioner and thereafter, will pass appropriate orders on the representations of the petitioner.

4. In the light of that and considering the urgency in view of the fact that the petitioner's elder daughter is studying 10th standard and has to submit the community certificate in the school, we dispose of the writ petition with direction to the first respondent to consider the online applications of the petitioner and pass appropriate orders, in accordance with law, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. There shall be no order as to costs.

(D.K.K., ACJ.) (P.B.B., J.)
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Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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