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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 11.07.2024

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THE HONOURABLE DR.JUSTICE ANITA SUMANTH

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Karunanithi

.. Petitioner

Vs

- 1.The Chairman
Tamil Nadu Generation and Energy
Distribution Corporation
(TNEB) Anna Salai
Chennai - 2
- 2.The Superintendent Engineer
Tamil Nadu Generation and Energy
Distribution Corporation (TNEB)
Perambalur
Ariyalur District
- 3.The Assistant Divisional Engineer
Tamil Nadu Generation and Energy
Distribution Corporation (TNEB)
Ariyalur Town & District
- 4.The Assistant Engineer
Office of the Assistant Engineer
Tamil Nadu Operation and Maintenance
Maruthaiyan Koil, Alathur Taluk
Perambalur District



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5.Devadoss

.. Respondents

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PRAYER: Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 30.01.2023 for suitable compensation to petitioner's son Karuppasamy.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.I.Prasanth

For Respondents : Mr.M.Senthil Murugan
for Mr.D.Suresh Kumar
Standing Counsel for TNEB
for R1 to R4

ORDER

Heard Mr.V.I.Prasanth, learned counsel for petitioner and Mr.M.Senthil Murugan, learned counsel who represents the respondents.

2. The prayer of the petitioner is for a mandamus simpliciter, directing the respondents, being the officials of TANGEDCO, Perambalur District, to consider petitioner's representation dated 30.01.2023. Therein the petitioner seeks compensation for his son Karuppasamy for the injuries sustained by his



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son on account of leakage of electricity in a motor fixed in premises belonging to R5. No notice has been issued to R5. However, his interest will not be prejudiced, as they have been duly taken note of and addressed by means of this order.

3. In the counter filed by the fourth respondent, they accede to the position that the representation filed by the petitioner on 30.01.2023 was received on 09.02.2023 by the fourth respondent. Hence mandamus is issued to R4 to hear the petitioner and R5, to take note of all the attendant circumstances in which injury to petitioner's son was occasioned and dispose of the representation filed by the petitioner in accordance with law and all extant rules and regulations, within a period of six weeks from date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. With the above direction, the writ petition stands disposed. No costs.

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Index : Yes/no

Neutral Citation : No

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