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W.P.No.27857 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 25.09.2024

CORAM :
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

Writ Petition No.27857 of 2024

Faihan Ahmed.K

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Regional Passport Officer,
2nd and 3rd Floors, Royala Towers,
Old No.785, New No.158,
Anna Salai, Chennai – 600 002.
2. The Commissioner,
Registration of Birth & Death,
Vellore – 632 001.
3. The City Health Officer,
Public Health Department,
Greater Chennai Corporation,
Rippon Building, Chennai – 600 003.
4. The Passport Seva Kendra,
No.103, 1st Floor, Navins Presidium,
Nelson Manickam Road,
Aminjikarai, Chennai – 600 029.
5. The Inspector of Police,
T-2, Vaniyambadi Town Police Station,
Vaniyambadi,
Tirupathur Distirct.

... Respondents



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PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, praying for issuance of Writ of Mandamus directing the first respondent to issue a passport to the petitioner on the application dated 31.03.2022 bearing reference No.MA2074091442722.

For Petitioner : M/s.M.Mubaraj Ahmad for
Mr.Ahmad Associates

For Respondents : Mrs.A.Anuradha for RR1 & 4

Mr.LSM.Hasan Fizal, AGP for R2

Mr.G.T.Subramanian for R3

Mr.L.Baskaran, GA (Crl. Side)for R5

ORDER

The petitioner has filed this petition seeking direction to the first respondent to issue a passport to the petitioner on the application dated 31.03.2022 bearing reference No.MA2074091442722.

2. The case of the petitioner is that since the petitioner's passport bearing No.M 6704938 had expired on 13.02.2015, he made an application dated 31.03.2022 seeking issuance of new passport before the concerned authority. Even after conducting enquiry, the petitioner was not issued with a passport. Hence the present petition has been filed seeking the aforesaid



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3. Though very many grounds have been raised in this Writ Petition, the learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that, it would suffice, if this Court issues direction to the first respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 31.03.2022 and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law, within a particular time frame to be fixed by this Court.

4. Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and perused the materials placed on record.

5. Taking into consideration the factual aspects of the matter, this Court without going into the merits of the case, directs the first respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 31.03.2022 and pass appropriate order on merits and in accordance with law, after affording an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner as well as aggrieved persons if any, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the above observation and direction, this Writ Petition is



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disposed of. No costs.

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