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W.P.No.37652 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 12.12.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.SUBRAMANIAN

AND

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.KUMARAPPAN

Writ Petition No.37652 of 2024
and WMP No.40710 of 2024

R.Muthu

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. Union of India.

Rep. by its Secretary to Government,
(Revenue),
Government of Puducherry,
Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.

2. The Tahsildar,

Department of Revenue and Disaster Management,
Puducherry.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India
praying for, to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to issue
Community Certificate to the petitioner based on his mother's origin.



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For Petitioner : Mr. Stalin Abhimanyu
For Respondents : Mr. J.Kumaran,
Additional Government Pleaer (Pondy)

ORDER

(Order of the Court was delivered by R.SUBRAMANIAN, J.)

The petitioner prays for a Mandamus directing the respondents to issue a Community Certificate to the effect that he belongs to Schedule Caste at Puducherry based on his mother's origin.

2. In view of the judgment of the Division Bench of this Court in ***Siva Johnson Kennedy.I v. Union of India***, dated **21.12.2023**, there will be a direction to the respondents to consider the application of the petitioner based on his mother's origin and issue a community certificate if he satisfies the criteria prescribed. The needful be done within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



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3. The Writ Petition is disposed of with the above direction. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

(R.SUBRAMANIAN, J.) (C.KUMARAPPAN, J.)
12.12.2024

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To

1. The Secretary to Government,
Union of India.
(Revenue),
Government of Puducherry,
Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.
2. The Tahsildar,
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