



W.P.(MD).No.6938 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 27.03.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

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Ramakrishnakumar

... Petitioner

Vs.

The Regional Passport Officer,
Regional Passport Office,
Bharathi Ula Veethi,
Race Course Road,
Madurai.

... Respondent

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent to alter the petitioner's date of birth as 27.03.1985 and to renew the petitioner's passport vide File No.MD2075113429123 dated 27.02.2023 by considering the petitioner's representation dated 02.11.2023 within the time frame to be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Vishnuvardhan

For Respondent : Mr.H.Velavadhas

ORDER

Heard both sides.



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2. The petitioner's date of birth had been erroneously entered in the passport as 07.05.1984.

3. I am satisfied that the petitioner's actual date of birth is 27.03.1985. The birth certificate of the petitioner has been enclosed in the typed set of papers. The passport is a sovereign document. It should contain correct particulars. Even if because of the petitioner's mistake, wrong particulars had been entered, it should be corrected at the earliest opportunity. I therefore direct the respondent to correct the petitioner's date of birth as 27.03.1985 in his passport and re-issue the passport. It is stated that the validity of the petitioner's passport has already expired. While renewing the same, the correct date of birth shall be entered.

4. Accordingly, this Writ Petition is allowed. There shall be no order as to costs.

27.03.2024

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G.R.SWAMINATHAN, J.

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