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W.P.(MD)NO.12640 OF 2024

**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT**

**DATED : 28.06.2024**

**CORAM**

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN**

**W.P.(MD)No.12640 of 2024 AND**

**W.M.P.(MD)No.11251 of 2024**

J.Priyadharsini

... Petitioner

**Vs.**

1. The Chairman of Equivalence Committee,  
Secretary to Government,  
High Education Department,  
Chennai – 2.

2. The Chairman,  
Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission,  
Chennai.

3. The Registrar,  
Madurai Kamaraj University,  
Palgalai Nagar,  
Madurai – 625 021.

4. The Principal,  
Lady Doak College,  
Madurai – 625 002.

... Respondents

**Prayer:** Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the first respondent herein to issue equivalence certificate as to the B.Com(Professional Accounting) awarded by the Maduri Kamaraj University is equivalent to B.Com., by considering the petitioner's application to the first respondent dated 06.06.2024 within the time frame as stipulated by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.S.Ramasamy  
For R-1 : Mr.M.Sarangan,  
Additional Government Pleader.  
For R-2 : Mr.V.Panneer Selvam

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### **ORDER**

Heard both sides.

2. The petitioner underwent B.Com.,(Professional Accounting) course in the fourth respondent college. Degree is awarded by Madurai Kamaraj University. The petitioner took part in the competitive examination for the post of Junior Co-operative Auditor. She has also been selected. But TNPSC could not give her appointment and posting because the petitioner could not produce the equivalence certificate. The qualification prescribed for the post is B.Com. All that the petitioner wants is declaration that the qualification prescribed for the post and the qualification obtained by the petitioner are equivalent.

3. It is stated that the first respondent is seized of the matter. The first respondent is directed to dispose of the petitioner's application within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this



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order. This writ petition stands disposed of accordingly. No costs.

Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

**28.06.2024**

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**To:**

The Chairman of Equivalence Committee,  
Secretary to Government,  
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