



WP(MD)No.10797 of 2018

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

Dated: 12.03.2024

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CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **B.PUGALENDHI**

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and

WMP(MD)No.9907 of 2018

B.Vengateswaran

... Petitioner

Vs

- 1.The Secretary,
Department of Law Ministry,
Government of Tamil Nadu,
Secretariat,
St.George Fort,
Chennai - 600 009.
- 2.The Secretary,
Department of Higher Education,
Government of Tamil Nadu,
Secretariat,
St.George Fort,
Chennai - 600 009.
- 3.The Director of Legal Studies,
Pursaiwakkam High Road,
Opposite to Naidu Hall,
Kilpauk,
Chennai - 600 010.
- 4.The Registrar,
The Tamil Nadu Dr.Ambedkar Law University,
Poompozhi,
No.5, Dr.D.G.S.Dinakaran Salai,
Chennai - 600 028.
- 5.The Principal,
Government Law College,
Madurai -625 020.



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6.The Chairman,
Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission,
TNPSC Road,
VOC Nagar, Park Town
Chennai - 600 003.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of writ of mandamus to direct the respondents 3 to 5 to provide the person studied in Tamil Medium certificate within a time frame fixed by this Court based on the representation sent by the petitioner dated 02.05.2018 and 07.05.2018.

For Petitioner : No representation
For Respondent : Mr.G.V.Vairam Santhosh
Nos.1 to 5 Additional Govt.Pleader
For Respondent : Mr.J.Ananda Kumar
No.6

ORDER

The petitioner is an Advocate by profession. He claims that he has studied Law Course in Government Law College, Madurai through Tamil Medium. He has approached the respondents 3 to 5 seeking certificate of Persons Studied in Tamil Medium[PSTM], for applying Civil Judges posts and filed this writ petition for a mandamus directing the



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respondents to provide his PSTM certificate within a time frame enabling him to participate in the examination for Civil Judges posts.

2. There is no representation for the petitioner.

3. The Principal of the Government Law College, Madurai has filed a counter affidavit stating that the petitioner has not pursued his 5 years Law Course in Tamil and therefore, the petitioner is not entitled for PSTM certificate.

4. Recording the above, this writ petition is closed. No costs. Consequently connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Internet : Yes / No

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