



C.R.P(MD)No.2017 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 03.09.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

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1.Suresh
2.Subha Christy

...Petitioners /
Defendants

Vs.

Jesus Antony Xavier

... Respondent /
Plaintiff

Prayer : Civil Revision Petition filed under Article 227 of the Constitution of India, to pass an order of specific direction, directing the lower court (II Additional District Court, Thoothukudi) for a expeditious trial to dispose the pending O.S.No.157 of 2021, filed on 04.10.2021 within the stipulated period prescribed by this Court.

For Petitioners : Mr.C.Arun Bagath

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel for the revision petitioners.



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2.The respondent has filed O.S.No.157 of 2021 on the file of II Additional District Judge, Thoothukudi seeking mandatory injunction and declaration. The petitioners seek speedy disposal of the suit.

3.I wanted to know the workload of the Court below. The learned counsel has furnished the following table:

II ADDITIONAL DISTRICT COURT, THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT			
YEAR	PENDENCY OF CASES		
	CIVIL	CRIMINAL	TOTAL
2018	227	119	346
2019	257	66	323
2020	435	99	534
2021	519	112	631
2022	550	184	734
2023	582	313	895
2024 (As on 31.07.2024)	605	366	971



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It is seen that the workload of the Court is rather heavy. It may not be fair on my part to direct the Court below to give preference for disposal of the petition mentioned suit.

4. But then the learned counsel for the petitioners states that the first petitioner is a senior citizen and he is also a heart patient.

5. Taking into account the over all facts and circumstances of the case, I request the Court below to dispose of O.S.No.157 of 2021 on merits and in accordance with law within a period of twelve months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. This Civil Revision Petition is disposed of accordingly. There shall be no order as to costs.

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G.R.SWAMINATHAN, J.

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