



W.P.(MD).No.25858 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 29.10.2024

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUMAR**

**W.P.(MD)No.25858 of 2024**

K.Kaleeshwaran

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Regional Passport Officer,  
Regional Passport Office,  
Bharathi Ula Veethi,  
Race Course Road,  
Madurai 625 002.

2.The Superintendent of Police,  
District Collector Office,  
Ramanathapuram 623 503.

3.The Superintendent of Police,  
District Collector Office,  
Sivaganga 630 561.

4.The Inspector of Police,  
Mudukulthur Police Station,  
Mudukulthur 623 704.

5.The Inspector of Police,  
District Crime Branch,  
Sivaganga 630 561.

... Respondents

**Prayer** : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the first



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respondent to renew the passport of the petitioner vide application No.MD1076977514524 dated 27.09.2024 on the basis of the petitioner's representation dated 17.10.2024.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Gandhiammal  
For Respondents : Mr.S.Pon Senthil Kumaran (for R1)  
Mr.M.Vaikkam Karunanithi  
Government Advocate (crl.side)  
for R2 to R5

### **ORDER**

Heard both sides.

2.The petitioner seeks renewal of passport. He has submitted an application before the jurisdictional passport officer. Apprehending that it may not be processed in view of his involvement in a criminal case, the present writ petition came to be filed.

3.When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) submitted that the criminal case registered against the petitioner has since been charge sheeted and it has been taken on file in C.C.No.73 of 2014 on the file of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate No.II, Sivagangai.





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