



W.P.No.3121 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

29.01.2025

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THE HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE VIVEK KUMAR SINGH

Writ Petition No.3121 of 2025

Sri Ayyappa Educational Trust
No.27-B, Dindalanoor Village,
Kadathur Post,
Pappireddipatti Taluk
Dharmapuri District-635 303
Rep. By its Managing Trustee
K.Sadasivam.

..Petitioner

Vs.

1.Government of Tamil Nadu
Represented by its Principal Secretary to Government
Health and Family Welfare Department
Secretariat, Fort St.George
Chennai-600 009.

2.The Director of Medical Education
Directorate of Medical Education Campus
Kilpauk, Chennai-600 010.

... Respondents

PRAYER : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to grant no objection certificate by way of Government order for starting B.Pharm and D.Pharm Course with an intake of 60 seats respectively in Ayyappa College of Pharmacy established and administered by the petitioner trust from the academic year 2025-26.



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For Petitioner : Mr.D.Prabhu Mukunth Arun Kumar

For Respondents : Mr.E.Sundaram
Government Advocate

ORDER

The petitioner, Sri Ayyappa Educational Trust, has intended to start a pharmacy college under the name and style of Sri Ayyappa College of Pharmacy, in line with the objectives of the petitioner trust by conducting B.Pharm and D.Pharm courses. Though on earlier occasions, the petitioner trust submitted proposals for grant of no objection certificate but unfortunately the second respondent has not granted NOC to start the college on non-compliance of certain issues. However, for the present academic year i.e., 2025-26 according to the petitioner trust, they have complied with all the requirements such as infrastructural and instructional facilities and applied for grant of no objection certificate and it has been pending and since no further action is forthcoming, the petitioner trust has been constrained to approach this Court by way of the present writ petition.

2. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also



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as the petitioner has complied with all the requirements and the matter is pending before the respondents for grant of NOC, this Court, without going into the merits of the case, feels it appropriate to direct the petitioner to make a fresh representation along with all required documents, within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and the respondents, who in turn are directed to consider the same and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law, within a period of one month thereafter.

3. With the above directions, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

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