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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 21-11-2025

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THE HON'BLE DR.JUSTICE R.N.MANJULA

TOS No. 20 of 2024

Surekha Prakasam
W/o.Late Prakasam, No.19/9, Mahalakshmi Street,
T.Nagar, Chennai - 600 017.

..Petitioner

Vs

1. Mrs.B.MAHALAKSHMI
D/o Late P.S.Raghunandan, Heritage Apartments,
C-103, 1st Floor,
Sivan Kovil Road, Thiruverkadu,
Chennai - 77
2. Mr.P.R.Sreedhar
S/o Late P.S.Raghunandan,
Door No.18/2, 57th Street,
Ashok Nagar,
Chennai 83.
3. Mrs.R.Sujatha
W/o.Devaprasad &
D/O LATE P.S.RAGHUNANDAN,
NO.435, BALAJI GOKUL,4TH A MAIN
WEST OF CHORD ROAD, II STAGE,
MAHALAKSHMI LAYOUT,
BENGALURU - 560 086.
4. S.R.Vasanth Krishnan
S/o.Late P.S.Raghunandan, No.19/9,
Mahalakshmi Street, T.Nagar, Chennai - 600 017.

..Respondent(s)



PRAYER- This petition is filed under Section 232 and 276 of the Indian Succession Act and Order XXV, Rule 5 of the Original Side Rules, seeking Letters of Administration with Will dated 24.9.2005 annexed of the properties and credits of the deceased, may be granted to the petitioner as the daughter/beneficiary of the deceased having effect throughout the Union of India.

For Petitioner: M/s.S.Thanka Sivan

For Respondents: M/S.RADHINI V

JUDGMENT

This Testamentary Original Suit has been filed under Sections 232 & 276 of the Indian Succession Act, 1925 (Act XXXIX of 1925) and under Order XXV, Rule-5 of Original Side Rules seeking Letters of Administration with respect to a Will dated 24.09.2005 executed by R.Susila, the mother of the petitioner, who died on 19.06.2008.

2. The original Will dated 24.09.2005 is marked as Ex.P2. Ex.P3 and Ex.P4 are the death certificate and legal heirship certificate of R.Susila/mother of the petitioner respectively. The petitioner examined herself as P.W.1.



3. One of the attestors of the Will by name N.Sampath, filed affidavit and stated that he has attested the Will along with one S.Ravikumar. He had further stated that the testatrix R.Susila was in sound and disposing state of mind at the time when the Will was executed. He also identified the signature of R.Susila and stated that the testatrix had affixed her signature in his presence.

4.The respondents 1 to 3 have given their consent affidavit in favour of the petitioner and the paper publication effected in one issue of Tamil daily “Dinakural” on 14.12.2023 and one issue of English daily “National English Daily” dated 21.12.2023 attracted no objectors.

5. With the statement of P.W.1 and other documents in record, the petitioner has proved that the Will has been executed in terms of Section 63(c) of the Indian Succession Act and its genuineness is proved in accordance with Section 68 of the Indian Evidence Act.

6. Hence, this Testamentary Original Suit is **allowed** by granting Letters of Administration to the petitioner with the Will dated 24.09.2005 of R.Susila, annexed thereto. Such Letters of Administration shall have effect throughout the Union of India. The petitioner is directed to execute a security bond for a sum of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand only) in the name of the Assistant



Registrar (Original Side) of this Court. The petitioner is further directed to file an inventory of assets and statement of accounts within a period of six months and one year, respectively.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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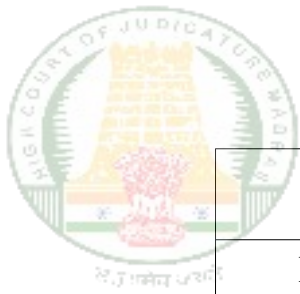
APPENDIX

Petitioner's witness:

P.W.1 – Mrs.Sureka Prakasam

Documents marked:

<i>Exhibits</i>	<i>Documents</i>
P1	Photocopy of the sale deed registered as document No.607 of 1963 in respect of item No.1 of the schedule mentioned property dated 07.03.1963. (compared with original)
P2	The Original Will executed by the petitioner's mother R.Susila dated 24.09.2005. (in safe custody)
P3	The certified copy of the death certificate of the petitioner's mother R.Susila dated 30.06.2008.
P4	The certified copy of the legal heir certificate of the petitioner's mother R.Susila dated 23.01.2009.
P5	The photocopy of the Property Tax Card in favour of the petitioner (Compared with original).
P6	The photocopy of the Water Tax Card in favour of the



	petitioner (compared with original).
P7	The photocopy of the Electricity Card in favour of the petitioner (compared with original).

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