



W.P.No.8481 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 10.03.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE J.SATHYA NARAYANA PRASAD

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and

W.M.P.No.9491 of 2025

M/s.Sasi Construction,
No.2, L.V.Prasad Road,
Dhanalakshmi Colony,
Saligramam,
Vadapalani Post,
Chennai - 600 026,
Rep by its Managing Partner
R.Sivabalan

...Petitioner

-Vs-

1.The Superintending Engineer,
Storm Water Drain Department,
Rippon Building,
Greater Chennai Corporation,
Chennai - 600 003.

2.The Executive Engineer,
Zone-8,
Greater Chennai Corporation,
13/36B, Pulla Avenue,
Shenoy Nagar,
Chennai - 600 030.



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3.The Executive Engineer,
Zone-10,
Greater Chennai Corporation,
No.64, NSK Salai,
Kodambakkam,
Chennai - 600 024.

4.The Executive Engineer,
Zone-11,
Greater Chennai Corporation,
No.33, Arcot Road,
Valasaravakkam,
Chennai - 600 087.

...Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for the issuance of a direction in the nature of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to issue "Site Visit Certificate" to the petitioner as per the application of the petitioner dated 04.03.2025 in order to submit his bids through online on or before 15:00 Hrs on 11.03.2025 in Tender Notification viz., 1) Tender Notice No.SWDC.No.B1/0147/2025 published dated 14.01.2025 in respect of works in Sl.Nos.25 (Zone 8 & 10), 26 (Zone 8) & 28 (Zone 8) and 2) Tender Notice No.SWDC.No.B3/378/2025 published dated 18.02.2025 in respect of works in Sl.Nos.14 (Zone 8 & 10) & 26 (Zone 11) on the file of the 1st respondent and pass such further orders.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Elangovan

For Respondents : Mr.E.C.Ramesh,
Standing Counsel



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ORDER

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This writ petition has been filed for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to issue "Site Visit Certificate" to the petitioner as per the application of the petitioner dated 04.03.2025 in order to submit his bids through online on or before 15:00 Hrs on 11.03.2025 in Tender Notification viz., 1) Tender Notice No.SWDC.No.B1/0147/2025 published dated 14.01.2025 in respect of works in Sl.Nos.25 (Zone 8 & 10), 26 (Zone 8) & 28 (Zone 8) and 2) Tender Notice No.SWDC.No.B3/378/2025 published dated 18.02.2025 in respect of works in Sl.Nos.14 (Zone 8 & 10) & 26 (Zone 11) on the file of the 1st respondent.

2. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is registered as a Class-I contractor in the Chennai Corporation. The 1st respondent herein has issued the Tender Notifications on 14.01.2025 and 18.02.2025 regarding storm water drain works. As per the tender notifications, it is notified that the bid must be submitted through online up to 11.03.2025 at 15.00 Hrs in the office of the 1st respondent. Therefore, the petitioner preferred an application to the 1st respondent on 04.03.2025 requesting for Site Visit Certificate for the above works. The usual procedure is that as and when the application is made, the 1st



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respondent will issue a format and Site Visit Certificate will be issued within 2 hours. But this time the respondents did not take any action on his application. He further submitted that he also sent an email request on 09.03.2025, and no action has been taken by the respondents so far. Hence, the writ petition is filed.

3. Learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondents submitted that the "Site Visit Certificate" will be issued by today (i.e., on 10.03.2025) by the 1st respondent.

4. Heard both sides and perused the materials available on record.

5. In view of the above submissions made by the learned standing counsel appearing for the respondents, the 1st respondent is directed to issue the "Site Visit Certificate" to the petitioner by today (i.e., on 10.03.2025).

The writ petition stands disposed of with the above direction.

No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Index : Yes/No

Speaking / Non-Speaking Order



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NOTE: Issue order copy by 10.03.2025

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