



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

**DATED: 20-08-2025**

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**THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE N. MALA**

**WP No. 16682 of 2019**

**and**

**WMP No.16308 of 2019**

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Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The District Collector,  
Collectorate, Erode 638 011.

2.The Deputy Director,  
Handlooms and Textiles Department,  
Ashokapuram, Bhavani Main Road, Erode-I.

3.The District Registrar  
Office of District Registrar of  
Co-operative Societies, Erode.

4.The Special Officer,  
EH.184- The Appakudal Harijan Primary cum  
Industrial Handloom weavers co-operative  
production and sale Society Limited,  
Bhavani Taluk, Erode District.

5.A.Jothi,(Membership No.691) President,  
EH.184- The Appakudal Harijan Primary cum  
Industrial Handloom weavers co-operative  
production and sale Society Limited,  
Bhavani Taluk, Erode District.



6.M.Radhakrishnam (Membership No.623)

Vice- President,

WEB EH.184- The Appakudal Harijan Primary cum  
Industrial Handloom weavers co-operative  
production sand sale Society Limited,  
Bhavani Taluk, Erode District.

7.P.Malliyaraj (Membership No.345)

Director, EH.184-

The Appakudal Harijan Primary cum Industrial  
Handloom weavers co-operative production  
sand sale Society Limited, Bhavani Taluk,  
Erode District.

8.A.Poongodi (Membership No.432)

Director, EH.184- The Appakudal Harijan  
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operative production and sale Society Limited,  
Bhavani Taluk, Erode District.

9.R.Mohana (Membership No.514)

Director, EH.184- The Appakudal Harijan  
Primary cum Industrial Handloom weavers  
co-operative production sand sale Society  
Limited, Bhavani Taluk, Erode District.

#### Respondent(s)

Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, pleased to issue Writ of Quo-Warranto, calling upon the 5<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> respondents herein to show under what authority of law they are holding the public office of the President, Vice-President and Directors of The Appakudal Harijan Primary cum Industrial Handloom weavers co-operative production and sale Society Limited, E.H.184 of Bhavani Taluk, Erode District and consequently to direct the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent to consider the representation dated 06.09.2018.



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For Petitioner(s): M/s.P.Saravanan

For Respondent(s): Mr.V.Manoharan, AGP  
for R1 and R2  
Mr.K.Tamil Vendan, GA  
for R3  
Mr.S.Arumugam  
for R4  
Mr.Stephenraj  
for Mr.K.Moorthy  
for R5 to R9

### **ORDER**

The above writ petition is filed for issuance of a Writ of Quo-Warranto, calling upon the 5<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> respondents, to show under what authority of law they are holding the public office of the President, Vice-President and Directors of the Appakudal Harijan Primary cum Industrial Handloom Weavers Co-operative Production and Sale Society Limited, and consequently direct the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 06.09.2018.

2.When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned counsel for the respondents submitted that the petitioner filed the writ petition, consequent to the election of the respondents 5 to 9 in an election conducted in 2018. The learned counsel submits that the term of the respondents 5 to 9 expired as early as in 2023, and thereafter, the Society is administered by the administrator. The learned counsel therefore submitted that the prayer in the writ petition has



become infructuous.

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3. Recording the submission of the learned counsel for the respondents, the writ petition is dismissed as infructuous. However, there shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Index: Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Internet: Yes

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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