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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 05-06-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

**WP No. 19938 of 2025
and WMP No. 22488 of 2025**

C. Gajendran

Petitioner(s)

Vs

The Assistant Engineer,
Operation And Maintenance,
TNEB, Nerumbur,
Thirukazhukundram Taluk,
Chengalpattu District

Respondent(s)

PRAYER Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for the records relating to the order dated 25.11.2023 issued by the respondent herein, cancelling the petitioner application for electricity in application reference No. 200095110723162, quash the same and issue consequential direction directing the respondent herein to effect domestic electricity connection for his house in Survey No 118 New Survey No 348/5, at Laddur village, Thirukazhukundram



Taluk, Chengalpattu District without insisting no objection certificate form revenue department concerned.

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For Petitioner(s): Mr.P. Dinesh Kumar

For Respondent(s): Mr.L.Jaivenkatesh
Standing Counsel

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed challenging the impugned online refusal order of the respondent dated 25.11.2023 and for a consequential direction to the respondent to grant domestic electricity connection to the house of the petitioner.

2.Heard Mr.P.Dinesh Kumar, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner and Mr.L.Jai Venkatesh, learned Standing Counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent.

3.The petitioner is claiming right and title over the subject property by virtue of a registered Sale Deed dated 12.07.1956, wherein, the property stood in the name of the mother of the petitioner. Thereafter, the house was



constructed and receipts were given on payment of the house tax. In the 'A'

Register, the property is being shown as a grama natham. The petitioner

submitted an online application for domestic electricity connection on

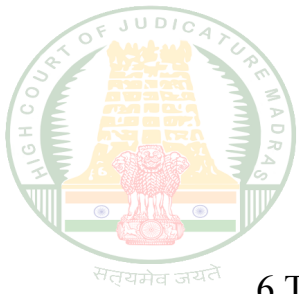
15.07.2023. The same came to be rejected by the online order dated 25.11.2023.

Aggrieved by the same, the present writ petition has been filed before this

Court.

4. When the matter was taken up for hearing today, the learned Standing Counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent produced the written instructions received from the respondent. On going through the same, it is seen that the petitioner did not annex the title deed through which he was claiming right and title over the property. That apart, the petitioner also did not pay the application charges. Therefore, the application was rejected.

5. The learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondent submitted that if the petitioner fulfils all the requirements and submit a fresh application, the same will be considered by the respondent.



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6. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case and the materials placed before this Court which shows that there is a title deed to the property and the property is in possession of the petitioner, there shall be a direction to the petitioner to submit a fresh application along with all the relevant particulars and documents and also pay the application charges and on receipt of the same, the respondent shall consider effecting domestic electricity service connection to the house of the petitioner. This process shall be completed, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of the fresh application from the petitioner.

7. This writ petition is disposed of with the above directions. No Costs.

Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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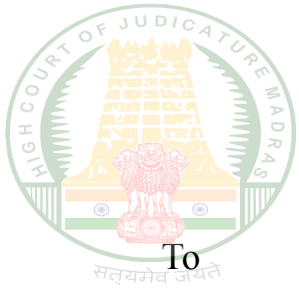
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