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W.P.No.24139 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated: 07.07.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE N.MALA

WP.No.24139 of 2025

D. Gurusamy

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. Revenue Divisional Officer,
South Chennai Division,
Guindy, Chennai – 32

2. G. Yamini

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the first respondent to dispose of the petitioner's petition dated 04.09.2023 under Tamil Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Rules, 2007 and fix the time limit for disposal and pass orders.

For Petitioner

: Mr.P.K. Shiva Kumar

For Respondent-1

: Mr.R. Murthi

Government Advocate

ORDER

By consent of both parties, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the stage of admission itself.

2.Mr.R. Murthi, Government Advocate takes notice for the first respondent.

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4.The learned counsel for the petitioner's submitted that even though several grounds were raised in support of the writ petition, he would restrict his prayer for a direction to the first respondent, to dispose of the petitioner's representation dated 04.09.2023 within a time framed fixed by this Court.

5.Considering the limited prayer sought for by the petitioner's counsel, this Court directs the first respondent to consider and pass orders on the petitioner's representation dated 04.09.2023 on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. Accordingly, this writ petition is disposed of. However, there shall be no order as to costs.

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