



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 25-07-2025

WEB COPY

CORAM

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

WP No. 27385 of 2025

M/s.Chandragiri Construction
Company
Partnership Firm rep. by its
Managing Partner
K.M.Moideen Kunhi,
Kasargode, P.O. Thekkil,
Kerala State.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1.State of Tamil Nadu
Rep. By Its Principal Secretary To
Government, Public Works Department,
Fort St. George, Chennai-600 009.

2.The Principal Chief Engineer,
and Chief Engineer (General), Water
Resources Department, PWD,
Chennai Region, Chepauk,
Chennai 600 005.

3.The Superintending Engineer



Respondent(s)

PRAYER

directing the 2nd respondent to renew the Registration of the petitioner as Class-I contractor in the Public Works Department /Water Resources Department of the Government of Tamil Nadu, vide Letter No.Va.Pa/Va.A/Ko.48/100M/2021 dated 22.10.2021 of the 3rd respondent forwarded to the 2nd respondent.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.K.Premkumar

For Respondent(s): Mr.E.Vijay Anand, AGP

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed to issue writ of mandamus directing the 2nd respondent to renew the registration of the petitioner as a Class I contractor in the Public Works Department (PWD)/ Water Resource Department of the Government of Tamil Nadu.



2. When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing on behalf of the respondents, based on the instructions given by the respondents produced the communication dated 23.07.2025, wherein the petitioner has been informed that registration has automatically expired since the petitioner has not participated in the tenders called for by the Department for two consecutive years. Therefore, the petitioner has been further informed that the petitioner has to make a fresh representation as per G.O.No.79, Water Resources (I.Spl.I) Department dated 01.11.2023 through online mode.

3. In light of the above development, it is left open to the petitioner to make a fresh application. On the contrary, if the petitioner is aggrieved by the communication, it is left open to the petitioner to challenge the same.



WEB COPY

4. In result, this Writ Petition is disposed of in the above terms. No costs.

25-07-2025

Index: Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

Jeni

To

1.State Of Tamil Nadu

Rep. By Its Principal Secretary To
Government, Public Works Department,
Fort St. George, Chennai-600 009.

2.The Principal Chief Engineer,
And Chief Engineer (General), Water
Resources Department, Pwd, Chennai
Region, Chepauk, Chennai 6000 05

3.The Superintending Engineer
Water Resources Department,
Parambikulam Aliyar Water Basin,
Pollachi Coimbatore District



WEB COPY

WP No. 27385 of 2025



N.ANAND VENKATESH J.

Jeni

WP No. 27385 of 2025

25-07-2025