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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 11-08-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MS. JUSTICE P.T. ASHA

WP No. 28573 of 2025

AND

WMP Nos. 31990, 31991, 31994 and 31988 of 2025

1. Mr.D.Abdul Majeeth

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Residing At Flat No. 31, Door No.
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Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The District Collector

District Collector Office, Chengalpattu-
603 111.

2.Muneera

W/o. Mohamed Rafi, Residing At No.
131, Eden Garden, Madurai
Meenakshipuram, Iyanchery,
Urapakkam, Chennai- 603 210.



3. Mohamed Rafi

S/o. Mohamed Ali, Residing At No.

131, Eden Garden, Madurai

Meenakshipuram, Iyanchery,

Urapakkam, Chennai- 603 210.

Respondent(s)

PRAYER

Directing the 1st respondent to take immediate action on the Statutory petition filed by the petitioners on 28.04.2025 under Maintenance and welfare of Parents and Senior citizens Act, 2007 and pass.

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For Petitioner(s): Ms.A.V.Bharathi

For R-1: Mr.R.Murthi,
Government Advocate

ORDER

The Writ Petition is filed for the following relief:

“directing the 1st respondent to take immediate action on the Statutory petition filed by the petitioners on 28.04.2025 under Maintenance and welfare of Parents and Senior citizens Act, 2007”.



2. The brief facts which are culminated in the filing of this Writ Petition are set out below:

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2.1 The petitioners who are senior citizens had filed the petition before the 1st Respondent who is the statutory Authority under the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007, (herein after called the Act). They had approached the 1st Respondent as they had been abandoned by their only daughter and son-in-law who had been arrayed as Respondents 2 and 3 herein.

2.2 It is their contention that the petitioners had spent a huge sum of money in purchasing and developing the property in the name of Respondents 2 and 3 at a total cost of over 1.5 crores, which has been enjoyed by their daughter. They had also spent money for the education, upbringing and household needs of the Respondents 2 and 3 and their children. They further submitted that they helped the 3rd Respondent, their son-in-law to purchase a property at Bangalore with a fond hope that they could be taken care of by their daughter, 2nd Respondent. The Petitioner's contention is that even after the 2nd Petitioner had undergone surgeries, the 2nd Respondent did not extend any help



and support though she had received enormous financial assistance from the petitioners herein.

3. Since their daughter had abdicated her responsibility, the petitioner had moved the 1st Respondent by filing the statutory petition under the Act. Though this petition was filed on 28.04.2025, to date no enquiry has been proceeded. Since the 1st Respondent who is the competent Authority had failed to perform his duty, the petitioners have moved this Court.

4. Heard the learned Counsel for the Petitioners and Mr.R.Murthy, the learned Government Advocate for 1st Respondent.

5. Taking into account the fact that the petitioners only seeks early disposal of the statutory petition filed by them, in which Respondents 2 and 3 are Respondents, this Court had proceeded to pass orders without issuing notice to Respondents 2 and 3. This Court is only issuing direction to 1st Respondent to dispose of the Statutory petition within a period of three (3) months after



hearing the petitioners as well as the Respondents 2 and 3 herein.

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6. With the above directions, Writ Petition is disposed of. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed. No costs.

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