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W.P. No.38016 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 09.10.2025

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.D. JAGADISH CHANDIRA

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S.A. Syed Saleem Hussain

... Petitioner

vs.

1. The Secretary to Government,
Commercial Taxes and Registration department,
Fort St George,
Chennai-09.

2. The Inspector General of Registration,
Santhome,
Chennai-28.

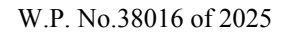
... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue Writ of Mandamus, directing the 2nd respondent to consider the petitioner representation dated 10.01.2025 and to promote him as Sub-Registrar Grade-II notionally without reference to the subsequent charge memo punishment and to grant all consequential service and monetary benefits within a reasonable time.

For petitioner : Mr.S. Sivakumar

For respondents : Mr. Stalin Abhimanyu
Addl. Govt. Pleader

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4. It is the further case of the petitioner that despite being aware of the aforesaid issue, the 2nd respondent has not taken any effective steps to rectify the anomaly. Under such circumstances, ventilating all his grievances, the petitioner submitted a detailed representation on 10.01.2025, seeking re-fixation of his seniority on notional basis and consequently give promotional effect to the post of Sub-Registrar Grade II. However, the said representation is still pending consideration, and no orders have been passed thereon till date. As the said representation did not evoke any response, the petitioner has approached this Court by filing this writ petition.

5. Heard the learned counsel on either side and perused the materials placed on record.

6. Though very many grounds have been raised in this writ petition, this Court is of the view that it is suffice to direct the 2nd respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 10.01.2025 and pass orders on its own merits and in accordance with law, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. It is made clear that this Court has not expressed any opinion on the merits of the claim made by the petitioner.



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7. With the above directions, this writ petition stands disposed of.

No costs.

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Index: Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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