



W.P.(MD)No.5547 of 2020

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 15.07.2025

CORAM:

**THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM**

**AND**

**THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY**

W.P(MD).No.5547 of 2020

and

W.M.P(MD)Nos.4849 & 4850 of 2020

B.Ramkumar Adityan

... Petitioner

-VS-

1. Additional Chief Secretary,  
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department,  
Government of Tamil Nadu,  
Secretariat,  
St. George Fort,  
Chennai 600 009.
2. Principal Secretary,  
Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department,  
Government of Tamil Nadu,  
Secretariat,  
St.George Fort,  
Chennai 600 009.
3. State Election Commissioner,  
Tamil Nadu State Election Commission,  
No.208/2.Jawaharlal Nehru Road,  
Opp.CMBT, Arumbakkam,  
Chennai 600 106.



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4. The Director,

Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj,  
Panagal Building,  
Chennai - 600 015.

5. Commissioner of Municipal Administration,  
Municipal Annex, 6th Floor,  
Chennai 600 005.

6. The Director,  
Director of Town Panchayats,  
Kuralagam,  
Chennai - 600 108.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the Respondent No.3 to create separate Columns in the Brief Format of the Contesting Candidate which each Contesting Candidate has to submit along with Nomination in Form 3 and Affidavit in Form 3 A, to furnish details about Criminal Cases registered under IPC and other Penal Acts such as Conviction and Pending against Contesting Candidate, Past five years Income details, Sources of Income, Cash in Hand, Details of Deposits in Banks, Postal Savings and other Financial Institutions, Advance given to third Party, Investments in Bonds and Shares, Jewels and other valuables, Motor Vehicles and all other movable Investments and Assets, Immovable Assets including Agricultural Land, Non Agricultural Land, Commercial Buildings, Residential Buildings, Loans and Liabilities and all types of Government dues, Contracts with Government and any Public Limited Company of the Contesting Candidate, Spouse and Dependents and Highest Education, Name of the Education and Year of Completion of the Candidate and



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subsequently direct to upload the revised format in the website of the Respondent No.3 from the forthcoming Local Body Elections.

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For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sankar  
For R1, R2, R4 to R6 : Mr.P.Thilak Kumar  
Government Pleader  
For R3 : Mr.Raja Karthikeyan

### **ORDER**

(Order of the Court was made by S.M.SUBRAMANIAM, J.)

The writ prayer is relating to the election procedures. Thus, the writ petition is not maintainable.

2. Accordingly, the writ petition stands dismissed. No costs.  
Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

(S.M.S., J.) (S.S.Y., J.)

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