



W.P.(MD).No.7095 of 2022

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 03.02.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V.LAKSHMINARAYANAN

W.P.(MD).No.7095 of 2022

P.Ravikumar

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Divisional Engineer,
Divisional Engineer Highways Nabard
and Rural Roads Madurai,
W4VR+5HW, KK Nagar,
Ramaond Reserve Line,
Race Course Colony,
Tamil Nadu-625 002.

2.Assistant Divisional Engineer,
Assistant Divisional Engineer
Highways Nabard and Rural
Roads Maudrai,
27, 11th Street, Karpaga Nagar,
K.Pudur, Madurai-625 007.

...Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 2nd respondent to renewal the license in க.எண்./அனுமதி/2012 / இவஅ/நாள் 26.04.2012 based on the petitioner's representation dated 19.03.2022 within the time stipulated by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.B.Sukumar
For Respondents : MrA.Kannan,
Additional Government Pleader

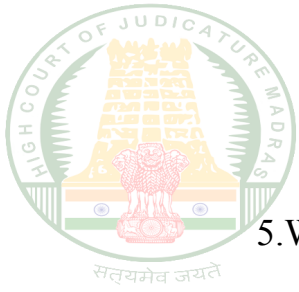
ORDER

The petitioner seeks a writ of mandamus directing the second respondent to renew the license in க.எண்./அனுமதி/2012 / இவஅ/நாள் 26.04.2012.

2.The petitioner had been given permission by the Highways Department to run a petty shop between 20.11.2011 and 20.04.2012. The permission expired, but he continued to be an occupant for more than a decade. Subsequently, the Highways Department decided to remove the petitioner from the occupation of the land belonging to it and issued notice in Na.Ka.No. 189/2021/E.Va.Aa dated 07.07.2021. This was an eviction notice.

3.A writ petition was filed challenging the said eviction notice in W.P(MD)No.2302 of 2022. This Court granted a month's time to the petitioner to vacate and hand over the possession of the property to the Highways Department.

4.The learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents, on instruction, reports that the possession has been taken on 23.10.2024.



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5. When the petitioner has been evicted, the question of renewal of

license does not arise. This Writ Petition is dismissed. No costs.

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NCC : Yes/No
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