



W.A.(MD)No.851 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 06.08.2025

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.RAJASEKAR**

W.A.(MD)No.851 of 2025

and

C.M.P.(MD)Nos.5658 and 11299 of 2025

B.Meenakshi Sundaram

... Appellant

Vs.

1.The Agricultural Production Commissioner,
and Principal Secretary to Government,
Agriculture Department,
Fort St.George,
Chennai.

2.The Commissioner of Agriculture,
Chepauk, Chennai - 5.

3.The Secretary,
Agricultural Department,
Chennai.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Appeal filed under Clause XV of Letters Patent, to allow the writ appeal by setting aside the order passed in W.P.(MD)No.7146 of 2021 dated 19.11.2024 on the file of this Court.



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For Appellants : Mr.K.Prabakaran,
For M/s.K.B.S.Law Associate.

For Respondents : Mr.N.Satheeshkumar,
Addl. Government Pleader.

JUDGMENT
(By G.R.SWAMINATHAN, J.)

The appellant herein filed W.P.(MD)No.7146 of 2021 seeking conversion of the major penalty proceedings into minor penalty proceedings. The learned Single Judge vide order dated 19.11.2024 not only dismissed the writ petition but gave several other adverse directions and findings.

2.It is seen that the writ petitioner actually wanted to withdraw the writ petition itself. When the writ petitioner wanted to withdraw the writ petition, there is no reason as to why, the said request could not have been acceded to. In any event, such a request can be renewed at the appeal stage. The appellant is permitted to withdraw the writ petition itself. W.P.(MD)No.7146 of 2021 is dismissed as withdrawn. The order dated 19.11.2024 is set aside.



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WEB COPY 3.This writ appeal is disposed of accordingly. No costs.

Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

(G.R.S. J.,) & (K.R.S. J.,)
06.08.2025

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