



W.P(MD)No.15878 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 12.06.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.SARAVANAN

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S.Sahaya Muthiah

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Regional Passport Officer,
The Regional Passport Office,
Bharathi Ula Veethi,
Race Course Road,
Madurai,
Madurai District

2.The Passport Officer,
Passport Seva Kendhra,
Tirunelveli City,
No.13, South Bypass Road,
Xavier Colony,
Tirunelveli

3.The Inspector of Police,
District Crime Branch,
Nagercoil,
Kanyakumari District.

...Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 and 2 to issue the passport to the petitioner based on the petitioner's passport Application No.25-1003273717 dated 21.03.2025.



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For Petitioner : Mr.U.Munees Kumar
For R1 & R2 : Mr.Mithun
Central Government Standing Counsel
For R3 : Mr.K.Sanjai Gandhi
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for Mandamus to direct the respondents 1 and 2 to issue the passport to the petitioner based on the petitioner's passport Application No.25-1003273717 dated 21.03.2025.

2. The petitioner has been arrayed as an accused in Crime No. 19 of 2023 before the second respondent police station. The charges have been altered pursuant to the charge sheet filed by the respondents before the Judicial Magistrate No.1, Nagercoil, under Sections 406, 420, and 120(B) of the IPC in C.C. No. 626 of 2024.

3. Considering the same, the petitioner cannot expect any positive direction from this Court. However, liberty is given to the petitioner to



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approach the Judicial Magistrate No.1, Nagercoil for appropriate orders to facilitate the first respondent to process the application of the petitioner.

4. The writ petition stands disposed of with the above liberty. There shall be no order as to costs.

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Internet : Yes / No
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