



W.P.(MD) No. 17812 of 2025

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 01.07.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.SARAVANAN

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B.Gopalakrishnan

... Petitioner

Vs

1. Regional Transport Officer,
Tiruchirappalli West.

2. Regional Transport Authority,
Tiruchirappalli.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents herein to consider and pass orders on the petitioner's representation, dated 07.04.2025 by permitting the petitioner's town bus TN-81-B-2355 to make use of Chatram bus stand in terms of Section 72 (2) XXII of M.V.Act 1988 r/w Rule 245 (i) of TNMV Rules, 1989, while plying on the route Nachiarkoil to Sempattu forthwith.

For petitioner : Mr. K.Hariharan



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For respondents : Mr.D.Gandhiraj
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

This Writ Petition is disposed of at the time of admission with the consent of the learned counsel for the petitioner and learned Special Government Pleader for the respondents.

2. The petitioner is plying a Town Bus between Nachiarkoil to Sempattu, via Theppakulam post office.

3. It is the case of the petitioner that frequently passengers are requesting the bus to stop at Chatram bus stand. However, in the absence of proper permit and non-stopping the bus on the Chatram bus stand, the petitioner is unable to stop the bus at Chatram bus stand, despite the demands from the passengers.

4. Under these circumstances, the petitioner has given an application on 07.04.2025 with the request to the respondents to exercise their power under Rule 245(i) of the Tamil Nadu Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 and Section 72(2) XXII of



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5. The learned Special Government Pleader for the respondents submits that the petitioner's representation, dated 07.04.2025 will be considered and disposed of on merits.

6. Recording the above submissions, this Writ Petition is disposed of by directing the respondents to pass appropriate order on the aforesaid representation of the petitioner as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of four (4) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

7. Needless to state, before passing such order, other operators, who are likely to be impacted by the such decision, shall also be heard.

8. This Writ Petition is disposed of, with the above observations. No costs.

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C.SARAVANAN, J.

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