



W.P.(MD).No.31407 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 04.12.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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Dayalan Kathiresan

Vs

...Petitioner

1. The Regional Passport Officer,
Office of the Regional Passport Office
Ramnad,
Head Post Office,
Ramanathapuram District.

2. The State of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by its,
The Inspector of Police,
Kenikkarai Police Station,
Ramanathapuram 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 first respondent to renew (re-issue) the passport application submitted by the petitioner in File No.25-2004133520, dated 18.08.2025 pending on the file of the first respondent herein and stipulated time fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Manikandan

For R1 : Mr.P.Sivachandran
Central Government Standing Counsel



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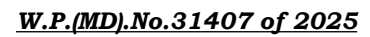
For R2 : Mr.S.Prakash
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

ORDER

The present Writ Petition has been filed seeking for a Mandamus as against the first respondent for re-issuance of passport based upon the petitioner's application dated 18.08.2025.

2. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the second respondent brought to the notice of this Court that criminal case is pending as against the petitioner in Crime No.166 of 2024 on the file of the second respondent. In the said case, so far investigation has not been completed and charge sheet has not been laid. In another case arising out of a private complaint, the petitioner is arrayed as accused in CC No.159 of 2024, on the file of the Judicial Magistrate–cum-Additional Mahila Court, Ramanathapuram.

3. According to the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, the petitioner was working abroad and his passport expired on 13.12.2025 and seeks for expeditious disposal of the case for renewal of passport.



5. With the above said observation, this Writ Petition stands disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

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