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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 12.12.2025

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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A. Chellamani

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Office of the Superintendent of Police,
Surveyor Colony,
Madurai - 625 007.

2. The Inspector of Police,
Tirumangalam Town Police Station,
Tirumangalam,
Madurai.

3. Suresh

... 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 take appropriate action based on the petitioner's complaint dated 24.11.2025 and conclude the same within time frame as fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.S.Haroon Rasheed,

For Respondent : Mr.A.S.Abul Kalaam Azad (R1-R2)
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)



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ORDER

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This writ petition has been filed seeking issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the second respondent to take necessary action on the petitioner's complaint dated 24.11.2025 and to conclude the same within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that one Parameswari, who is working in the State Bank of India, Tirumangalam Branch, approached the petitioner with an offer to invest money under a Pension Scheme. Believing her representation, the petitioner deposited the amount under the said scheme. However, the bank officials wrongly invested the said amount in an SBI Life Insurance policy, which came to the knowledge of the petitioner subsequently. Though the said policy was later cancelled, the amount was allotted in the name of the petitioner's son, who is arrayed as the third respondent herein. At present, the petitioner's son has refused to return the said amount to the petitioner.

3. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) submitted that since the petitioner is a senior citizen, he has to approach the



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Revenue Divisional Officer by invoking the provisions of the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007, and not the respondent police.

4. In view of the above submission, this Writ Petition (Criminal) is disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to approach the Revenue Divisional Officer by invoking the provisions of the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007, within a period of one week from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Upon receipt of such representation, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Tirumangalam, Madurai District, shall consider and dispose of the same in accordance with law, within a period of four weeks thereafter.

5. With the above directions, this writ petition (Criminal) is disposed of.

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Madurai.
3. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Tirumangalam, Madurai District.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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S.SRIMATHY, J.

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