



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED :27.03.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE **DR.JUSTICE G.JAYACHANDRAN**

AND

THE HONOURABLE **MS.JUSTICE R.POORNIMA**

C.M.P(MD)No. 18851 of 2024

in

W.A(MD)SR.No. 94869 of 2024

1. The State of Tamilnadu,
Represented by the Secretary,
Department of Home Prohibition and Excise,
Fort Saint George, Chennai.
2. The Director General of Police,
O/o. The Director General of Police,
No.601, Radhakrishnansalai,
Mylpore, Chennai 04.
3. The Superintendent of Police,
O/o.The Superintendent of Police,
Tuticorin,
Tuticorin District.
4. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
O/o.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Vilathikulam,
Tuticorin District.

... Petitioners/Appellants

-Vs-

S Daniel Raja Singh

... Respondent/Respondent



PRAYER in C.M.P(MD)No.18851 of 2024: Petition filed under Section 5 of the Limitation Act, to condone the delay of 366 days in filing this writ appeal against the Order, dated 17.11.2023 made in WP.(MD).No.6438 of 2017.

PRAYER in W.A(MD)SR.No. 94869 of 2024: Writ Appeal is filed under Clause 15 of Letters Patent, to set aside the Order, dated 17.11.2023 made in WP.(MD).No.6438 of 2017.

For Petitioners : M/s.S.Vinoth,
Government Advocate

For Respondent : M/s.Rohini, for
Roy & Roy Associates

ORDER

DR.G.JAYACHANDRAN, J.
AND
R.POORNIMA, J.

The delay of 366 days to prefer the Writ appeal against the order passed by the Learned single Judge is not properly explained, except stating administrative delay.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and perused the materials placed before this Court.

3. Since the matter relates to the service benefit of Police constable, the State should have been vigilant in pursuing the appeal. The inordinate delay is not satisfactorily explained.



4. Accordingly, this Civil Miscellaneous Petition stands dismissed.

Consequently, connected Writ Appeal is also rejected at SR stage. No costs.

[G.J., J.] & [R.P., J.]

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NCC : Yes / No
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