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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 17-02-2026

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THE HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE P.T. ASHA

WP No. 140 of 2026

AND

WMP NO. 135 OF 2026

Natural Capsules Ltd
rep by its Managing Director,
R.S.No. 84, Perambai Road,
Pitchaiveeranpet,
Puducherry- 605 010.

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Secretary to Government (Health)
-Cum-Appellate Authority under Drugs and
Cosmetics Act 1940,
Department of Health and Family Welfare,
Goubert Avenue, Beach Road,
White Town, Puducherry- 605 001.
2. The Licensing Authority
Department of Drugs Control,
Govt. of Puducherry,
1st Floor, Indira Nagar,
Gorimedu, Puducherry-605 006.



..Respondent(s)

Prayer: This petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to direct the 1st Respondent to take up the Appeal bearing Representation Dt. 24.12.2025, give an opportunity of Personal hearing to it and pass orders on merits within the time that may be fixed by this court and direct the respondents to keep the order bearing No.DDC/ NCL /SO/ 2025- 12/ 1510 dt 22.12.2025 passed by the 2nd respondent in abeyance till such disposal.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.T.P.Manoharan, Senior Counsel
for Mr.T.M.Naveen

For Respondent(s): Mr.R.Sreedhar,
Additional Government Pleader (Puducherry)

Order

This Court, by order dated 28.01.2026, had suspended the order of suspension.

2. When the matter is taken up for hearing today, learned Additional Government Pleader (Puducherry had produced a Notice of Hearing issued by the Government of Puducherry, Lt.Governor's Secretariat dated 13.02.2026 stating that the petitioner has been called for hearing on 20.02.2026 at 12.15pm.



4. Considering the fact that the enquiry has been commenced, the interim relief granted by this Court shall continue till the disposal of the appeal.

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Index: Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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To

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