



W.P.No.20074 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 20.05.2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

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Shanmuganathan Alagupandian

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Deputy Commissioner (ST), GST-Appeal,
Integrated Commercial Taxes and
Registration Building,
South Tower,
Nandanam,
Chennai – 600 035.

2. The Assistant Commissioner,
Kilpauk Assessment Circle,
Central-II Zone,
Chennai Central Division,
No.F-50, 3rd Floor, First Avenue,
Anna Nagar,
Chennai – 600 102.

... Respondents

PRAYER : Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, to direct the first respondent to dispose of the appeal filed by the petitioner against the order of rejection of application for revocation of cancellation dated 16.10.2025, within a time bound manner.



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For Petitioner : Mr.Prabhu Mukunth Arun Kumar
For Respondents : Ms.P.Selvi
Government Advocate

ORDER

Heard Mr.Prabhu Mukunth Arun Kumar, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and Ms.P.Selvi, learned Government Advocate appearing for the respondents.

2. The writ petitioner's registration was cancelled by the second respondent on 07.08.2025. The petitioner sought revocation of the said cancellation. His request was rejected vide order dated 16.10.2025. Aggrieved by the same, the petitioner filed an appeal before the first respondent on 13.01.2026. Since the said appeal is yet to be disposed of, the petitioner's business has become standstill. That led to the filing of this writ petition.

3. Without going into the merits of the matter, I direct the first respondent to dispose of the petitioner's appeal within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



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4. This Writ Petition is disposed of accordingly. There shall be no order as to costs.

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NCC: Yes / No
Index : Yes / No
Speaking Order : Yes / No

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