



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 27-04-2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE KRISHNAN RAMASAMY

WP No. 19659 of 2023

S.Velkumar
S/o Saranathan,
No 3/380, Chettikulam Main Road,
Alathur Gate Alathur (taluk)
Perambalur District 621 109

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Central Information Commissioner
The Central Information Commission,
Baba Ganaganath Marg Munirka,
New Delhi 110067

2.The Central Public Information Officer
Heavy Vehicles Factory (unit Of Armoured
Vehicles Nigam Limited) Avadi,
Chennai 600 054

3.The Central Public Information Officer
Directorate of Ordnance (C And S)
10 A,S.K Bose Road Kolkate 700 001

Respondent(s)

PRAYER

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Certiorari, calling for records the order of 1st respondent dated 4.1.2023 in CIC / DODEF / A / 2022 / 107766 quash the same and consequentially directing the Respondents 2 and 3 grant information sought by petitioner dated 8.11.2021



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For Petitioner(s): Mr.C.Venkatesan

For Respondent(s): Mr.C.Samivel, SPCGSC for R1 to 3
Mrs.S.Anitha, SGP for R4

ORDER

Today, this matter is listed under the caption “for reporting compliance”.

2. The learned counsel for the official respondents would submit that the present petition was dismissed vide order dated 16.03.2026 by imposing cost against the petitioner for a sum of Rs.50,000/-. Further, this Court directed the District Collector, Perambalur, to recover the said amount within a period of 4 weeks and deposit the same with Tamil Nadu Legal Service Authority. However, the said amount was not at all recovered from the petitioner till date.

3. In view of the above, this Court *suo moto* impleads the District Collector, Perambalur District as one of the respondent. Mrs.S.Anitha, learned Special Government Pleader, takes notice on behalf of the District Collector. The District Collector is directed to take appropriate steps to recover the cost imposed by this Court vide order dated 16.03.2026, under the Revenue Recovery Act, before the next date of hearing.



4. Post this matter on 17.06.2026 for reporting compliance.

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Internet: Yes

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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