



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 15-06-2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

WP No. 22113, 22119 & 22115 of 2026

T.Vinothkumar

Petitioner in WP.No.22113 of 2026

S. Prakashkumar

Petitioner in WP No. 22119 of 2026

B. Syed Hussain

Petitioner in WP No. 22115 of 2026

Vs

The Regional Transport Officer
Salem West, Salem District.

Respondent in all WPs

Common Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India directing the Respondent herein to receive the application of the petitioner dated 29.04.2026 in Form CCPA along with the prescribed fee through online for the grant of Auto Rickshaw Permit to operate the vehicle within radius of 30 K.M. distance from Salem Town Old Bus stand, Salem, Salem district and to consider the same.

In all WPs

For Petitioner(s): Mr.A.Ganesan

For Respondent: Mr.M.Sivavarthan
Government Counsel

COMMON ORDER

These writ petitions have been filed seeking for a direction to the respondent herein to receive the application of the petitioners dated 29.04.2026 in Form CCPA along with the prescribed fee through online for the grant of Auto Rickshaw Permit to operate the vehicle within radius of 30 K.M. distance from Salem Town Old Bus Stand, Salem Salem District and to consider the same.

2. The petitioners seek for auto rickshaw permit. The petitioners had



submitted applications on 29.04.2026 in Form CCPA for the said purpose with the respondent. Since the said applications have not been considered, the petitioners have filed these writ petitions.

3. Mr.M. Sivavarthanan, learned Government Counsel, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent in all the cases.

4. No prejudice would be caused to the respondent if the petitioner's application dated 29.04.2026, as stated supra, is considered on merits and in accordance with law after giving due consideration to the supporting documents produced by the petitioners within a time frame to be fixed by this Court. This Court is not expressing any opinion on the merits of the petitioner's application.

5. For the foregoing reasons, this Court directs the respondent to pass final orders on merits and in accordance with law on the petitioner's application dated 29.04.2026 seeking for grant of auto rickshaw permit in his favour to operate the vehicle within the radius of 30 kms. from Salem Town Old Bus Stand, Salem, Salem District, within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the aforesaid directions, these writ petitions stand disposed of.
No costs.



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To

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