



W.P.(MD).No.1081 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 12.01.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

W.P(MD)No.1081 of 2026

and

W.M.P(MD) No.832 of 2026

R.Santhose

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Regional Passport Officer,
Regional Passport Office,
Madurai,
Bharathi Ula Veethi Race Course Road,
Madurai – 625 002.

2. Bureau of Immigration Officer,
Bureau of Immigration Office,
Shastri Bhavan Annex,
Haddows Road, Nungambakkam
Chennai – 600 034.

3. The Superintendent of Police,
Nagercoil,
Kanyakumari District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the second respondent herein to issue a No Objection Certificate (NOC) to the petitioner for the purpose of travelling abroad for employment/work related reasons, in



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the light of the order dated 28.11.2025 passed in CrI.O.P(MD) No.21981 of 2025, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : M/s.Jeya Revathy

For R3 : Mrs.M.Aasha
Government Advocate (CrI.Side)

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed seeking a Mandamus directing the second respondent herein to issue a No Objection Certificate (NOC) to the petitioner for the purpose of travelling abroad for employment/work related reasons, in the light of the order passed by this Court in CrI.O.P(MD) No. 21981 of 2025, dated 28.11.2025.

2. A perusal of the records reveal that the petitioner has been implicated in a criminal case in S.C.No.55 of 2025 on the file of the learned Sessions Judge under the SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, Kanyakumari District at Nagercoil. The said charge sheet was challenged by the writ petitioner along with the others in CrI.O.P(MD) No.21981 of 2025 before this Court and this Court by an order dated 28.11.2025 has quashed the said charge sheet.



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3. In view of the above said facts, there is no legal impediment for the writ petitioner to go abroad and therefore, the first respondent is directed to consider the request of the petitioner for issuance of passport and pass orders, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. With the above said observation, this Writ Petition stands disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently connected Miscellaneous Petition stands closed.

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