



W.P(MD)No. 1517 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED :29.01.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

W.P(MD)No. 1517 of 2026

Ajith Kumar

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Government of India,
Ministry of External Affairs,
Regional Passport Officer,
Regional Passport Office,
Madurai, Bharathi Ula Veethi,
Race Course Road, Madurai - 625 002.

2. The Inspector of Police,
Koodankulam Police Station,
Tirunelveli 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 1st respondent to renew the petitioner's passport, bearing passport no. P1310097, which is MD2076104387225 by considering the petitioner's representation dated 05.01.2026 within the time limit that may be stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr. M.S.Jeyakarthik



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For Respondents : Mr.S.Poornachandran
Central Government Standing Counsel
for R1
Mrs.M.Aasha
Government Advocate (Crl.Side) for R2

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed seeking mandamus directing to issue passport to the petitioner based upon his application and his representation dated 05.01.2026.

2. The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the second respondent brought to the notice of this Court that the petitioner has been implicated in a criminal case in Cr.No.45/2020 on the file of the second respondent police station, which has culminated in filing of charge sheet in P.R.C.No.42 of 2023 on the file of the learned Judicial Magistrate, Radhapuram and the same is yet to be committed to the concerned court.

3. A perusal of allegation made in FIR reveals that a quarrel has arisen between two groups with regard to the interaction with a lady.



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4. Considering the fact that so far, the criminal case has not been taken cognizance, the first respondent is directed to pass orders on the application filed by the petitioner within four (4) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. With the said observations, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

NCS : Yes/No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes / No
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