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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

Dated : 04/02/2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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Stalin Nova,

... Petitioner

Vs

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

2. The Regional Passport Officer,
Passport Seva Kendra,
Tirunelveli City,
Mukesh Towers,
No.13, South Bypass Road,
Xavier Colony,
Tirunelveli - 627 005..

3. The Inspector of Police,
Valliyoore 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, directing the 1st respondent to reissue the passport to the petitioner based on his



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application in file No.MD2075950014125, on the file of the 1st respondent within a stipulated period.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Rajeshwaran,
For R1 and R2 : Mr.A.Balaji
CGSC
For R3 : M/s.Aasha,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed seeking for a Writ of Mandamus directing the first respondent to re-issue the passport to the petitioner, based upon his application.

2. The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the third respondent brought to the notice of this Court that the petitioner is implicated in Criminal Case in C.C.No.187 of 2023 on the file of the learned Judicial Magistrate, Vallioor, and he is also implicated in another criminal case in Crime No.281 of 2025 on the file of the third respondent, in which the investigation has not been completed.

3. In view of the above said facts, the petitioner is directed to approach the concerned trial Court in C.C.No.187 of 2023 seeking



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permission to go abroad. In case an application is filed by the petitioner, the concerned trial Court shall dispose of the same within a period of four weeks from the date of filing of the application. Based upon order to be passed by the learned Judicial Magistrate, the respondents 1 and 2 are directed to proceed in accordance with law.

4. With the above said observations, this writ petition stands disposed of. No Costs.

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