



WP(MD). No.3395 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

Dated : 09/02/2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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S.Bhuvaneswari Jothi,

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Regional Passport Officer,
Regional Passport Office,
New Municipal Complex,
Thillai Nagar 7th Cross,
Tiruchirapalli-620018.

2. The Inspector of Police,,
Vengamedu Police Station,
Karur 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 as per Application No. 25-1064937482 dated 04.11.2025 within the time frame fixed by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.C.Prithviraj,
For R1 : Mr.G.Ramanathan
For R2 : M/s.M.Aasha,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed seeking a writ of Mandamus directing the first respondent to re-issue a passport to the petitioner, based on the application dated 04.11.2025.

2. The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the second respondent brought to the notice of this Court that a criminal case is pending against the petitioner in Crime No.307 of 2024 on the file of the second respondent police.

3. The petitioner has filed Crl.O.P(MD).No.20198 of 2024 before this Court seeking to quash the above FIR and the matter was referred to the mediation centre and pending medication, the investigation has been stayed.



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4. Considering the nature of allegations in the FIR and the fact that so far charge sheet has not been filed before the concerned trial Court, the first respondent is directed to consider the application of the petitioner and pass appropriate orders within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

5. With the above observations, this writ petition is disposed of.

No Costs.

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