



W.P.(MD) No.7829 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 24.03.2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

W.P.(MD) No.7829 of 2026

and

W.M.P.(MD) No.6404 of 2026

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... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Secretary to Government,
Commercial Taxes and
Registration (G) Department,
Secretariat, Chennai - 9.

2.The Deputy Registrar of Chits,
Deputy Registrar of Chits Office,
Tirunlveli.

3.Dhanalakshmi Srinivasan Chit Funds (P) Ltd.,
No.30A, Thangam Complex, 1st Floor,
Thiruvanathapuram Road,
Murugankurichi, Palayamkottai,
Tirunelveli.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the first respondent to dispose of the petitioner's appeal in Letter No.8091727/G/2024-1 dated 22.08.2024 under Section 70 of the Chit Funds Act, 1982 within a stipulated period as framed by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.C.Saravanakumar
For R1 & R2 : Mr.F.Deepak,
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

The prayer in this Writ Petition is innocuous. As such, this Writ Petition is disposed of at the admission stage itself.

2. The petitioner submits that he has filed an appeal within time on 22.08.2024 under Section 70 of the Chit Funds Act, 1982, on the file of the first respondent. He has also filed an application for interim relief. The third respondent is proceeding further by putting the award into execution. Therefore, the petitioner has approached this Court.

3. In view of the above, this Writ Petition is disposed of, directing the first respondent to take up the appeal of the petitioner dated 22.08.2024 and dispose of the same as expeditiously as possible, in any event, not later than three months from the date of receipt of a web copy of this order. In the meanwhile, the first respondent shall also consider the interim prayer made by way of an interlocutory application and dispose of



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the same by passing appropriate orders in the manner known to law. No costs. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

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To

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