



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 21.01.2026

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

W.P.(MD)No.23790 of 2022

and

W.M.P(MD)Nos.17852 and 17854 of 2022

M/s. Sri Dhurga Typewriting Institute,
Rep. by its Proprietor, R.Jayasree

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Chairman,
Board of Examination,
Director of Technical Education,
Guindy, Chennai - 600 025.
2. The Additional Director (Exams),
Director of Technical Education,
Guindy, Chennai - 600 025.
3. The Regional Officer-II,
Director of Technical Education,
Guindy, Chennai - 600 025.
4. Sivaraman Typerwriting Institute,
11/245, Chinnakadai Street,
Paramakudi - 623 707, Ramanathapuram District.
5. S.N.R. Typerwriting Institute,
10/335, Gowri Amman Kovil Street,
Paramakudi - 623 707,
Ramanathapuram District.
6. Vivekanantha Typerwriting Institute,
12/276, F.T.K. Nagu Street,
Paramakudi - 623 707,
Ramanathapuram District.



7. S.Praveen Kumar,
S/o.Subramanian, the Proprietor,
Jaya Typewriting Institute, Raj Complex,
Near Palakattumariyamman Kovil, Thuraiyur, Trichy.
(R7 is impleaded vide Court order dated 17.04.2023 in
WMP(MD)No.7574 of 2023 in WP(MD)No.23790 of 2022)

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Certiorari calling for the records of the impugned order of recognition passed by the 1st respondent dated 23.09.2022 and quash the same as far as 4th to 6th Respondents are concern which is in violation (i.e.,) within 1/2 kilometer radius from the petitioner's recognized institution.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Saravanan

For Respondents : Mr.P.T.Thiraviyam
Government Advocate for R1 to R3
Mr.D.Malaichamy for R4 to R6
Mr.N.Balasubramanian for R7

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed by a typewriting institute challenging an order of recognition granted by the first respondent in favour of the respondents 4 to 6.

2. The recognition granted in favour of the respondents 4 to 6 is under challenge primarily on the ground that these 3 typewriting institutions are



located within 1/2 km from the petitioner's recognised institute. The learned Counsel appearing for the petitioner relied upon the guidelines issued by the Directorate of Technical Education in support of his contention. A perusal of the said guidelines would reveal that there is a procedure for granting recognition for starting any new type writing institutes, if the distance for the new type writing institute is within 250 metres from the existing recognised type writing institutes. However, if the new type writing institute is proposed to be located between 250 metres and 500 metres, the authorities can consider the said request depending upon the density of the population and the demand of the students.

3. In the present case, the respondents 4 to 6 have established their typewriting institutes in Paramakudi Town based upon the density of population and the demand of the students, and the authorities proceeded to grant recognition. In fact, even as per the averments in the affidavit, these 3 typewriting institutes are located beyond 250 metres. In such circumstances, there is no total bar for the authorities to grant recognition. Therefore, there are no merits in the writ petition. Accordingly, this writ petition stands dismissed. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are also closed.

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Internet:yes/No

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