



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 24.04.2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ABDUL QUDDHOSE

**WP No. 15381 of 2026
and
W.M.P. Nos.16600 & 16604 of 2026**

Scapetree Technologies India Private Limited,
Represented by its Director,
Having its Registered office at
3rd Floor, Consolidated House,
26, Hillside Layout,
Whitefield,
Bangalore,
Karnataka – 560 066.

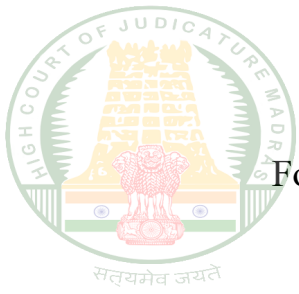
..Petitioner

Vs

1. The Government of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by its Principal Secretary,
Transport Department,
Fort St.George, Chennai – 600 009.
2. The Transport and Road Safety Commissioner,
Commissionerate of Transport and Road Safety,
State Transport Authority,
Anna Salai,
Guindy,
Chennai – 600 032.

..Respondents

For Petitioner: Mr.AR.L.Sundaresan
Senior Counsel
for Mr.Kandhan Duraisami



For Respondents:

Ms.C.Meera Arumugam
Additional Government Pleader

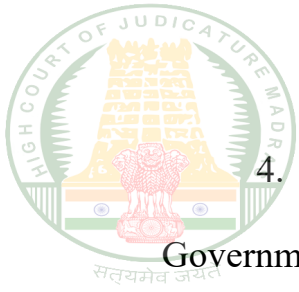
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ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed challenging the impugned tender, dated 23.02.2026 and the consequential corrigendum, dated 23.02.2026 published by the 2nd respondent on 20.03.2026.

2. The petitioner has challenged the impugned tender on the ground that a Corrigendum was issued on 23.02.2026 during the model code of conduct altering the original terms and conditions of the tender. A similarly placed petitioner had filed a Writ Petition before this Court seeking for the very same relief.

3. By order dated 18.03.2026 passed in W.M.P.Nos.12072 and 12073 of 2026 in W.P.No.11115 of 2026, this Court directed the respondents to proceed with the tender, but however learned Single Judge made it clear that it shall be subject to result of the Writ Petition. Aggrieved by the same, the petitioner in the said Writ Petition filed a Writ Appeal before the Division Bench of this Court in W.A.No.771 of 2026. By an order dated 26.03.2026 passed in W.A.No.771 of 2026, the Division Bench of this Court granted stay of the impugned tender notification in order to protect the interest of the parties.



4. The said fact is also not disputed by the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents. The petitioner seeks for a similar protection in this Writ Petition as well.

5. No prejudice would be caused if an interim protection as prayed for is granted to this petitioner as well. Accordingly, there shall be an order of interim stay of the impugned tender notification, dated 23.02.2026, as well as the Corrigendum dated 23.02.2026.

6. Post the matter for filing counter on 10.07.2026.

24.04.2026

Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No
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