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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 15-06-2026

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THE HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE P.T. ASHA

WP No. 21475 of 2026

and

W.M.P.No.23233 of 2026

R.Manikandan

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Deputy Secretary
Environment, Climate Change and Forests
Department,
Secretariat,
Chennai- 600 001.
2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
Office (Hoff)
Forest Department Headquarters,
Guindy,
Chennai- 600 032.
3. The Wildlife Warden Office
Anaimalai Tiger Reserve,
Coimbatore- 43.
4. The Deputy Director
Anaimalai Tiger Reserve,
Pollachi-1.
5. The Wildlie Ranger
Anaimalai Tiger Reserve,
Pollachi-1.

..Respondent(s)

For Petitioner(s):

Mr.T.Sudha Gandhi

For Respondent(s):

Mr.K.Sathish, Government Advocate
for R1 to R5



ORDER

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Mr.K.Sathish, learned Government Advocate accepts notice for the respondents 1 to 5.

2. The respondents are directed to furnish the following clarifications:

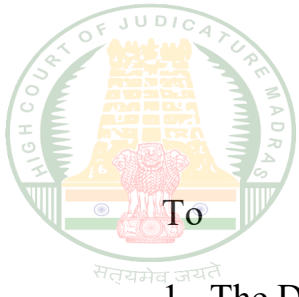
a) The stage at which, the application for compassionate appointment for petitioner's mother is now pending and whether it has been disposed of or it is still pending;

b) The basis on which the letter dated 18.07.1998 has been issued by the Forest Officer that the petitioner has time till 2019 (the date of superannuation of the petitioner's father) to submit his application.

3. Post the matter on 29.06.2026.

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To

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