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WP No.38332 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 11.11.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR.MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA,
CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN

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A.Selvam
S/o.T. Angamuthu, S No. 55/2a And 55/2b Rb
Nagar, Vijyanallur, Ponneri Taluk, Tiruallur,
Chennai

Petitioner(s)

Vs

The Registrar
Debt Recovery Tribunal Iii Chenani, Central
Governmetn Office Complex, Shastri Bhavan 26
Haddows Road, Nunabakam, Chennai 600 006.
and 4 Others

Respondent(s)

For Petitioner(s):

Mr.P.A.Arvinth Viveks
For Mr.N.Sivakumar



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ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

This application for extension of time is made by the Assistant Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal III, Chennai.

2. Earlier also, we have expressed our displeasure regarding the manner in which applications for extension for time are being sent through memos/letters by the Assistant Registrar and not by the concerned Presiding Officer. Such applications cannot be taken cognizance.

3. This application stands closed. If any extension is to be sought, it is for the concerned presiding officer to send appropriate request.

4. We find that where time bound directions have been given by this Court to conclude the proceedings, applications seeking extension of time are being sent by the officials of the Registry of Debt Recovery Appellate Tribunal/Debts Recovery Tribunal. It is made clear that



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request for extension of time has to be made by the concerned Presiding Judge of Debt Recovery Appellate Tribunal/Debts Recovery Tribunal and not by the Registry officials.

5. Registry of the High Court is directed not to entertain such memos sent by the Registry officials of Debt Recovery Appellate Tribunal/Debts Recovery Tribunal.

6. A copy of this order be circulated to all the Debts Recovery Tribunals in the State of Tamil Nadu, for doing the needful.

(MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA, C.J.) (G.ARUL MURUGAN, J.)
11.11.2025

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To
The Registrar General,
Madras High Court