

W.P.No.41936 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 06.11.2025

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE V. LAKSHMINARAYANAN

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B.Vijayasai

.. Petitioner

Vs

1. The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep.by the Secretary to Government,
Home (Transport) Department,
Fort St.George, Chennai – 600 009.

2. The State Transport Authority
cum Transport Commissioner,
Guindy, Chennai – 600 032.

.. Respondents

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sarath Kumar

For Respondents : Mrs.C.Meera Arumugham
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner is the operator of an Inter-State Stage Carriage Bus Permit in respect of vehicle bearing Registration No.TN-70-AD-7819, issued by the 2nd respondent which is valid till 30.12.2028. He was granted 6 singles, which is covered under the Inter-State Agreement (ISA).

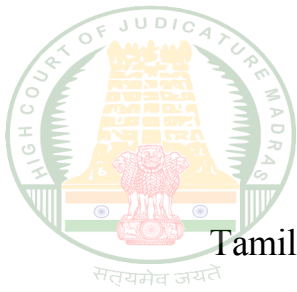


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Consequently, the petitioner submits that his 4th and 5th singles were not included in the 3rd supplemental ISA, published in the year 2008. The petitioner had secured an order on 18.11.2003 from the State Transport Authority, Bengaluru, endorsing the renewal of Inter-State permit. The petitioner thereafter, sent a representation to the second respondent on 29.06.2022 seeking inclusion of his 5th singles in the ISA. Pursuant thereto, the second respondent had issued a permit on 03.01.2024. Yet again, the appropriate authority in Bengaluru has passed an order in favour of the petitioner on 05.02.2024. The petitioner moved the High Court of Bengaluru at Karnataka seeking a direction against the first respondent to consult with the State Transport Authority in Tamil Nadu, and to include two additional single trips as per the Inter-State Agreement Clauses VIII and IX, between the State of Karnataka and the State of Tamil Nadu. The said writ petition came to be ordered by Karnataka High Court.

2. Thereafter, the State Transport Authority of Karnataka passed an order on 29.11.2024, including two additional single trips, subject to the approval of the primary permit issuing authority viz., the Tamil Nadu State Transport Authority, Chennai. Hence, the petitioner again approached the



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Tamil Nadu authorities, bringing to their notice of the above said facts. It

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is a simple prayer for inclusion of additional trips on the basis of the supplemental Inter-State Agreement. Despite the fact that another representation was made in July, 2022, till date, no action has been initiated. Hence, the petitioner is before this Court.

3. Mrs.C.Meera Arumugham, learned Additional Government Pleader takes notice for the respondents. She states that appropriate orders will be passed by the second respondent and communicated to the petitioner within a period of two weeks. Her statement is recorded.

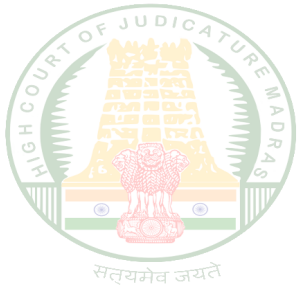
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