

W.P.(MD) No.8085 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 16.04.2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR

W.P.(MD) No.8085 of 2026

and

W.M.P(MD) No.6622 of 2026

R.Ranjani

... Petitioner

Vs.

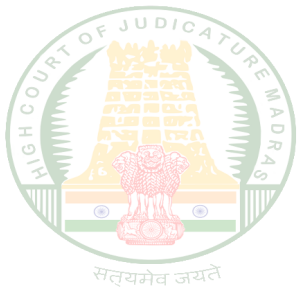
1.The State of Tamil Nadu, Rep. by its
The Principal Secretary to Government,
Social Welfare and Women
Empowerment Department,
Secretariat, Chennai - 600 009.

2.The Director of Social Welfare,
Directorate of Social Welfare,
Chennai - 600 005.

3.The District Programme Officer,
Child Development Project,
Dindigul District, Dindigul.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, for issuance of a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus to call for the records pertaining to the impugned order passed by the first respondent in G.O. (D).No.174 dated 12.03.2026 and quash the same insofar as the petitioner is concerned and consequently direct the respondents to retain the petitioner at office of the Oddanchathram.



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For Petitioner : Mr.N.Padmaboopathi

For Respondents : Mr.S.Shaji Bino
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

The counter affidavit has not been filed, though time was granted for filing the same on 27.03.2026. The learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondents seeks further time.

2. The interim order already granted by this Court on 25.03.2026 is extended until further orders.

3. List the matter on 07.07.2026 for filing the counter affidavit.

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To

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The State of Tamil Nadu,
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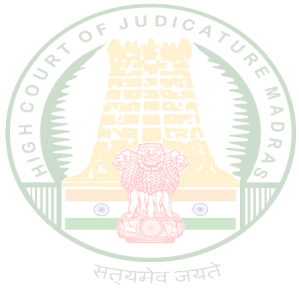


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