



C.M.P.(MD) No.16570 of 2025

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 17.02.2026

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE DR.JUSTICE G.JAYACHANDRAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN**

**C.M.P.(MD) No.16570 of 2025
in
W.A.(MD) SR No.86352 of 2025**

1.The Director
The Government Adi Dravidar
Welfare Department
Chepauk, Chennai

2.The District and Adi Dravidar
Welfare Officer
Ramanathapuram District

... Petitioners

-VS-

1.K.Saranya

2.N.Jeyabharathi

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Section 5 of Limitation Act to condone the delay of 10 days in filing the above writ appeal as against the order dated 28.08.2025, passed in W.P.(MD) No.4474 of 2025 and W.M.P.(MD) No.3210 of 2025 and W.M.P.(MD) No.3211 of 2025.

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For Petitioners : Mr.S.P.Maharajan
Special Government Pleader

For Respondents : Mr.R.Anand for R1
Mr.T.Antony Arul Raj for R2

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by DR.G.JAYACHANDRAN, J.]

This civil miscellaneous petition has been filed seeking to condone the delay of ten days in the filing the above writ appeal.

2. This Court ordered notice to the respondents on 25.11.2025 and the respondents 1 & 2 have entered appearance on 18.12.2025 and 02.12.2025 respectively. However, till date, the first respondent alone has filed her counter affidavit and the second respondent has not filed her counter affidavit. Considering the reasons stated in the affidavit, we are inclined to condone the delay.

3. Accordingly, this civil miscellaneous petition is allowed and the delay of ten days in filing the above writ appeal is condoned.



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4. Registry is directed to number the writ appeal, if the papers are otherwise in order, and post the same for admission in the usual course.

[G.J., J.]

[K.K.R.K., J.]

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