THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE C.PRAVEEN KUMAR

W.P.No.17273 of 2020

ORDER:-

The present writ petition came to be filed seeking the following relief/s:

"to issue a Writ, Order or direction more particularly in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of respondent Nos.1 and 2 in not passing any orders nor renewing the petitioner's licence No.E/SC/AP/24/59(E20346) in Form LE-5 for the period from 01.04.2020 to 31.03.2025 even though applied dated 30.01.2020 on payment of fees pending with them inspite of representations made are illegal, unlawful, contrary to law and procedure and violation of Articles 14, 19 of the Constitution of India and violation of principles of natural justice and consequently direct the respondents to pass such other order or orders".

Though various grounds are urged, the learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that though he made an application for renewal of licence for a period from 01.04.2020 to 31.03.2025, but till date no orders are passed.

The learned counsel appearing for Union of India would submit that the writ petition may be disposed of directing the respondents to deal with the renewal application of the petitioner, if not already done and pass appropriate orders if not already passed.

Having regard to the same, the writ petition is disposed of directing the 3rd respondent to deal with the request made by the petitioner seeking renewal of licence for the period 01.04.2020 to 31.03.2025 vide licence No.E/SC/AP/24/59(E20346), if not already done, in accordance with law, as early as possible preferably within a period of six (6) weeks from the date of receipt of copy of the order.

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With the above directions, the Writ Petition is disposed of. No order as to costs.

Miscellaneous Petitions pending, if any, shall stand closed.

JUSTICE C.PRAVEEN KUMAR

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