

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST
REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA**

**SC (FR) Application
No. 248/2025**

In a matter of an application in terms of
Articles 17 and 126 of the Constitution of
the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri
Lanka.

1. L Athukoralalage Don Sarath Chandra,
No.1486/1,

Berodhawatte,

Kottawa North,

Pannipitiya.

Appearing by his next friend

2. Athukoralalage Don Beshan Oshadha,
No.1486/1,

Berodhawatte, Kottawa North,

Pannipitiya.

PETITIONERS

Vs.

1. Sarath Weearsinghe,

No.1523/3A, Malabe Road,

Kottawa,

Pannipitiya.
2. Maheshika Rupasinghe,

Principal,

Dharmapala Vidyalaya,

Pannipitiya
3. Secretary,

Ministry of Education,

Isurupaya,

Baththaramulla.
4. Hon. Dr. Harini Amarasuriya,

Hon. Prime Minister and Minister of
Education,

Isurupaya,

Baththaramulla

5. Roshan de Soyza,

Officer in Charge,

Kottawa Police Station,

Kottawa.
6. Nishanthi WSI,

Inquiring Officer,

Kottawa Police Station,

Kottawa.
7. Inspector General of Police,

Police Head Quarters,

Colombo 01.
8. Honorable Attorney General,

Attorney General's Department,

Colombo 12.

RESPONDENTS

BEFORE : **P. PADMAN SURASENA, CJ**
ACHALA WENGAPPULI, J &
K.M.G.H. KULATUNGA, J

COUNSEL : Maithri Jayathilake instructed by Amila
Kumara for the Petitioners.

Asthika Devendra for the 1st Respondent.

Shenali Dias instructed by Chanuka Ekanayaka
for the 2nd Respondent.

Haleema Faiz, SC instructed by Nimna Perera
for the 3rd - 8th Respondents.

ARGUED &

DECIDED ON : 01.06.2026

P. PADMAN SURASENA, CJ

Learned Counsel for the Petitioners informs Court that the Human Rights Commission has made a recommendation in favour of the Petitioners and therefore the Petitioners are content with the said recommendation.

1st Petitioner is present in Court. In the above circumstances, the learned Counsel for the Petitioners moves to withdraw this Application.

Application for the withdrawal of the Petition is allowed. Petition must stand dismissed without costs.

CHIEF JUSTICE

ACHALA WENGAPPULI, J

I agree

JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT

K.M.G.H. KULATUNGA, J

I agree

JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT

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