To 9th December 2022

Thiru. Dharmendra Pradhan,

Hon’ble Minister of Education,

Government of India,

New Delhi.

Respected Sir,

**Subject: Request for providing alternate way to Institution Premises from Velachery in lieu of Krishna Hostel Gate closure for Safety Reasons.**

**W**e bring to your office the requisitions made by us with regard to the subject matter through multiple representations from the offices of the four Wards in Velachery, Chennai 6000042, as well from the MP’s office of South Chennai constituency.

The representations we made with the following reasonableness that justifies the need for access to the relevant public living in Velachery in connection with either their work or medical treatment.

We reiterate the requirements here in a gist to enable your study that may support your acquiescence to our grievance.

1. Peculiar situation of difficulty to find access to the institution.
2. School Students, working staff of IIT, Madras, Parents of school students, Pensioners of IIT, Madras for their access to bank and the institute hospital.
3. Easement a right of way across the property to reach the Institute for work and children schooling led them to believe and decide their residences at Velachery.

In the discussions that took place in connection with the subject with the institute authorities, the institute quoted the reason of “**Safety for their students especially that of the lady student’s hostel being in close proximity to the “Krishna Hostel Gate”.** The safety of the students is certainly the objective of the institution, which we also acknowledge. However, there is nothing more remarkable or that can achieve a win-win situation, if the institution is ready to look into an alternate gate that will be clear from all unsolicited.

We from our side have made a survey for such a place and have identified a spot where a new gate can be opened, which **is abutting “SEVA NAGAR” in Velachery**. The place accommodates the Thalsidhar’s Office, The Primary Health Center, The Government Community Hall and also Public Residences. It is our staunch observation that there will be fully safety at this place, as is the primary requirement of the institution.

Given the above reasons, it is requested that the need for access to the institution may be considered at **‘SEVA NAGAR’** with appropriate control systems to enable the inconvenience caused to the larger part of the society who have served and many continuing to serve in the institution.

Thanking you,

Dr.Thamizhachi Thangapandian

Member of Parliament,

South Chennai Parliamentary Constituency,

TamilNadu.

ENCL:

1. Letter dated 25/12/2019 from Shri P D Mathivanan to MP, South Chennai as representation of DMK 179 Ward at Velachery.
2. Public Interest Letter Dated 25/12/2019 from Shri P D Mathivanan to MP, South Chennai
3. Letter dated 26/12/2019 from Samoogaparipalana Panchayat Shabaito MP, South Chennai
4. Letter Dated 29/12/2019 from Students of IIT Madras to MP, South Chennai.