



W.P.Nos.942 and 3250 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 06.08.2026

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. SUSHRUT ARVIND DHARMADHIKARI,
CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN

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W.M.P.Nos.923, 924, 3302 and 3303 of 2023

W.P.No.942 of 2023:

R.Nathiyazhagan
S/o.Rajenderan
No.43, Venugopal Mudhali Street
Chinnakavanam, Ponneri
Thiruvallur, Tamil Nadu 601 204

Petitioner

Vs

- 1.The Additional Chief Secretary
Government of Tamilnadu
Planning and Development Department
Chief Secretariat, Chennai 600 009.
- 2.The Special Secretary
Government of Tamilnadu
Planning and Development Department
Chief Secretariat, Chennai 600 009.
- 3.The Managing Director
O/o Chennai Smart City Limited (CSCL)
5th Floor, 'D' Wing, Amma Maaigai
Ripon Building, Chennai 600 003.



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4. Japan International Cooperation Agency
JICA India office
16th Floor, Hindustan Times House
18-20 Kasturba Gandhi Marg
New Delhi 110 001.

[R4 removed from the array of party
respondents vide order dated
12.01.2023]

5. M/s Kisan Economics Private Limited
Rep by Managing Director
164/4A, Karuppattipalayam
Namakkal, Tamil Nadu 637 018.

6. M/s. Larsen and Toubro Limited
Mount Poonamallee Road
Manapakkam P.B. No.979
Chennai 600 089.

7. M/s. Efkon India Private Limited
1205 12th Floor, Supremus, E- Wing
I Think Techno Campus - Lodha
Kanjur Village Road, Kanjur Marg (East)
Mumbai 400 042.

Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of certiorarified mandamus to call for the records of the 3rd respondent in Tender notification in C.S.C.L.C. No. 145/2017-18 dated 10.11.2021 subsequent proceeding and quash the same as illegal arbitrary and non est in law and consequently direct the respondents to issue fresh tender notification for Installation of Chennai Metropolitan Area Intelligent Transport.



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For Petitioner: No Appearance

For Respondents: Mr.L.Gokulraj
Addl. Govt Pleader
for R1 & R2

Mr.A.Arun Babu
Standing Counsel for R3

Ms.Preeti Mohan
and Ms.R.S.Poornima for R6

W.P.No.3250 of 2023:

W.Gnanaraj
S/o.Williams,
No.67B, Pension Line Cross Road,
Karuvatu Mandi, Annathanapatty,
Salem 636 002

Petitioner

Vs

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Finance Department,
Secretariat, St. George Fort,
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- 2.The Managing Director
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For Petitioner: No Appearance

For Respondents: Mr.L.Gokulraj
Addl. Govt. Pleader
for R1 & R2

Mr.S.Sathish
(through VC)
for R3

Ms.Preeti Mohan
and Ms.R.S.Poornima
for R4

COMMON ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

None appears for the petitioners when these matters are called out.



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2. Challenge in these writ petitions is to the tender notification dated 10.11.2021.

3. Learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the State submits that the tender was already awarded and 75% of the work has also been completed as on date.

4. In view of the above, nothing survives for adjudication in these writ petitions and the writ petitions are dismissed as infructuous. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

(SUSHRUT ARVIND DHARMADHIKARI, CJ) (G.ARUL MURUGAN,J)
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Index : Yes/No
Neutral Citation : Yes/No
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