



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 14-08-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE V. LAKSHMINARAYANAN

WP CrI. No. 1707 of 2026

V.Manikandan
S/o.Thiru.Vellingiri,
Door No.55B, Mariamman Kovil Street,
Chettipalayam,
Coimbatore - 641 201.

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Superintendent of Police
Office of the Superintendent of Police,
Coimbatore District.
Coimbatore - 641 018.
2. The Inspector of Police
Chettipalayam Police Station,
Coimbatore - 641 201.
3. The District Collector
Coimbatore.
4. S.Loganathan
S/o.Samiyappan,
5. V.Selvaraj
S/o.Velusamy Gounder,
6. V.Kanagaraj
S/o.Velusamy Gounder,
7. C.Ilamurugesan
S/o.G.Chandrasekar,
8. A.Balasubramanian
S/o.Appachi Gounder,



9. G.Venugopal
S/o.Ganapathi Gounder,

10.G.Chandrasekar
S/o.Ganapathi Gounder,

..Respondents

Writ petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India seeking for issuance of Writ of Mandamus or any other appropriate Writ order or direction, directing the respondents 1 and 2 to provide adequate police protection to petitioner, his workmen and his quarrying operations carried on in the name and style of M/s.V.Manikandan Rough Stone and Gravel Quarry over the lands in S.F.No.869/1 and 869/2, Chettipalayam Village, Madukkarai Taluk, Coimbatore District, pursuant to the Quarry lease granted by the 3rd Respondent, the District Collector, Coimbatore in Na.Ka.No.1536/Kanimam/2017 dated 03.10.2024, by considering petitioner's representations dated 19.05.2026 and consequently forbear the respondents 4 to 10, their men or agents, from in any manner interfering with or obstructing his lawful quarrying operations.

For Petitioner(s): Mr. Agilesh Kumar.S

For Respondent(s): Mr.Yogaraja Sekar,
Govt. Advocate (CrI. Side)
(For R1 to R3)
Mr. A.Tamilarasan (for R4 to R10)

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondents 1 and 2 to provide adequate police protection to petitioner, his workmen and his quarrying operations carried on in the name and style of M/s.V.Manikandan Rough Stone and Gravel Quarry over the lands in S.F.No.869/1 and 869/2,



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2. Heard both sides. Perused the records.

3. This is essentially a civil dispute between the petitioner and the private respondents with respect to running of a quarry. This Court cannot deal with such disputes in exercise of its writ jurisdiction under Article 226 of Constitution of India. It is always open to the petitioner to approach the jurisdictional Civil Court against the private parties and obtain an order of injunction. Subject to the said relief, this Writ Petition is dismissed. No costs.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No
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