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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 30.06.2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE HEMANT CHANDANGOUDAR

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Petitioner(s)

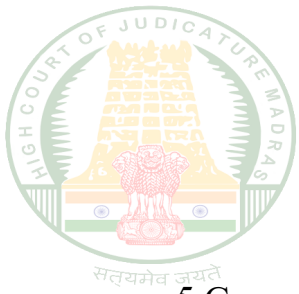
Vs.

1.District Collector
Tiruppur District Collector Office,
Palladam Road, Tiruppur.

2.Regional Transport Officer
Tiruppur South Regional Transport
Office, Veerapandi Division,
Palladam Road, Tiruppur.

3.Regional Transport Officer
Tiruppur North Regional Transport
Office, Siruppluvapatti Salai,
Tiruppur.

4.Regional Transport Officer
Dharapuram Regional Transport
Office, Dharapuram.



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5.General Manager
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation Ltd, Kangeyam Road,
Tiruppur.

Respondent(s)

Prayer: This Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to conduct a detailed enquiry and take action against private and TNSTC buses illegally operating without route permits in Route No.16 Tiruppur to Kangeyam based on the petitioner's representation dated 30.01.2025.

For Petitioner : Ms.Meera Gnanasekar

For Respondents : Mr.P.Siddarth
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The petitioner, claiming to be a stage carriage operator on Route No.16 between Tiruppur and Kangeyam, has approached this Court seeking a direction to the first respondent to conduct a detailed enquiry and take appropriate action against private bus operators and buses belonging to the Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (TNSTC), which are allegedly operating on the said route without valid permits.



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2. According to the petitioner, he has been granted a valid stage carriage permit to operate on Route No.16. It is his grievance that certain private bus operators, as well as buses belonging to the Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation, are operating on the said route without valid permits, thereby causing financial loss to him. In this regard, the petitioner submitted a representation to the first respondent requesting appropriate action against the alleged unauthorized operators. However, the said representation has not been considered till date.

3. Learned Government Counsel, on instructions, submitted that the petitioner's representation would be considered and appropriate orders would be passed in accordance with law within the time that may be stipulated by this Court.

4. Recording the said submission, this writ petition is disposed of directing the first respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 30.01.2025 on its own merits and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law, within a period of two (2) months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, after affording an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner as well as all



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persons likely to be affected, including the operators against whom allegations

have been made. No costs.

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Index : Yes/No
Speaking order : Yes/No
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