

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE THOTTATHIL B.RADHAKRISHNAN
&
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL THOMAS

WEDNESDAY, THE 3RD DAY OF JUNE 2015/13TH JYAISHTA, 1937

WP(C).No. 3774 of 2015 (V)

PETITIONER:

K.G.SUKUMARAN MASTER AGED 78 YEARS
SON OF GOVINDAN, KRISHNALAYAM, MAYOOR APARTMENTS
THEKKENADA, GURUVAYOOR - 680 101.

BY ADVS.SRI.P.B.SAHASRANAMAN
SRI.T.S.HARIKUMAR
SRI.K.JAGADEESH
SRI.RAAJESH S.SUBRAHMANIAN

RESPONDENTS:

1. STATE OF KERALA
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
DEVASWOM DEPARTMENT, SECRETARIAT
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695 001.

2. THE GURUVAYOOR DEVASWOM MANAGING COMMITTEE,
REPRESENTED BY ITS ADMINISTRATOR
GURUVAYOOR DEVASWOM, GURUVAYOOR- 680 101.

3. NAIR SERVICE SOCIETY,
REPRESENTED BY ITS GENERAL SECRETARY, CHENGANASSERY
KOTTAYAM - 686 102.

4. THE COMMISSIONER OF LAND REVENUE,
PUBLIC OFFICE BUILDING, MUSEUM JUNCTION
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM 695 033

R2 BY SRI.P.GOPAL

R1 & R4 BY SENIOR GOVERNMENT PLEADER: ADV. A. RENJITH

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING BEEN FINALLY HEARD ON 03-06-2015,
THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

APPENDIX

PETITIONER(S)' EXHIBITS :

EXHIBIT P1: TRUE PHOTOSTAT COPY OF THE JUDGMENT IN OP NO.9588/2003,
DATED 1ST JULY 2003

EXHIBIT P2: TRUE PHOTOSTAT COPY OF THE DECISION OF THE 2ND RESPONDENT,
DATED 29/7/2008.

EXHIBIT P3: TRUE PHOTOSTAT COPY OF THE JUDGMENT RENDERED IN R.P
NO.1390/2008 IN WPC NO.16494/2004, DATED 06/02/2009

EXHIBIT P4: TRUE PHOTOSTAT COPY OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE 4TH
RESPONDENT NO.LR(C3)21544/2011, DATED 27/8/2011.

RESPONDENT(S)' EXHIBITS: NIL

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P.A to Judge

**THOTTATHIL B. RADHAKRISHNAN &
SUNIL THOMAS, JJ.**

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W.P(C).No.3774 of 2015

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Dated this the 03rd day of June, 2015

JUDGMENT

Thottathil B. Radhakrishnan, J.

Petitioner claims to be a devotee and seeks a direction regarding land acquisition for the purpose of Guruvayoor Temple and its necessary institutional infrastructure.

2. Learned Standing Counsel for Guruvayoor Devaswom submits that a sub committee has been constituted by the Guruvayoor Devaswom Managing Committee and the said sub committee is studying the requirement and the proposal for further acquisition. It is also submitted that further acquisition will be resorted to as and when required. It goes without saying that law as may be applicable would then govern the acquisition proceedings. We, therefore, direct that the Devaswom will expedite the consideration of the matter stated to be pending before the sub committee.

This writ petition is ordered accordingly without entering further on merits.

Sd/-
THOTTATHIL B. RADHAKRISHNAN
Judge

Sd/-
SUNIL THOMAS
Judge