

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.VINOD CHANDRAN

THURSDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF JULY 2015/25TH ASHADHA, 1937

WP(C).No. 22605 of 2014 (A)

PETITIONER(S):

- 1. PRIMA ANN GEORGE,
PURAYIDATHIL HOUSE, 101 JUNCTION, ATHIRAMPUZHA.P.O.
KOTTAYAM-686562.**
- 2. P.T. THOMAS,
PURAYIDATHIL HOUSE, 101 JUNCTION, ATHIRAMPUZHA.P.O.
KOTTAYAM-686562.**

**BY ADVS.SRI.BABY KURIAKOSE
SRI.M.VASHIM**

RESPONDENT(S):

- 1. STATE OF KERALA
REPRESENTED BY SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT(PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT)
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695001.**
- 2. THE CHIEF ENGINEER,
PWD, ROADS AND BRIDGES, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695001.**

BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI. MANOJ P. KUNJACHAN

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING BEEN FINALLY HEARD ON 16-07-2015,
THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:**

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APPENDIX

PETITIONER(S)' EXHIBITS

**P1 (a)(b)(c): TRUE COPY OF THE PHOTOGRAPHS TAKES AT VARIOUS PLACES IN
ERNAKULAM AND KOTTAYAM DISTRICTS.**

**P2: TRUE COPY OF THE NEWS PAPER REPRT IN THE KOTTAYAM EDITION OF
MALAYALA MANORAMA DATED 15-8-2014.**

P3. TRUE COPY OF THE REPRESENTATION SUBMITTED BY THE 1ST PETITIONER.

RESPONDENT(S)' EXHIBITS: NIL

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P.A. TO JUDGE

K. VINOD CHANDRAN, J.

W.P(C). No.22605 of 2014

Dated this the 16th day of July, 2015.

JUDGMENT

The petitioners seek a mandamus to the first respondent not to collect tax and for a further mandamus to repair the potholes in the roads. The petitioners claim to be owners of Tipper Lorries and other motor vehicles. The contentions raised are broad in nature and not specific and seeks issuance of blanket orders against the State, that too, interdicting tax payment. It is not the case of the petitioners that the repairs are not being carried on at any particular section of the road, but that the same is widely defaulted all over the State.

In the circumstances, this Court is of the opinion that the writ petition itself is not maintainable and hence would stand dismissed. No costs.

Sd/-

**K. VINOD CHANDRAN,
JUDGE**

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