

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR.ASHOK BHUSHAN

&

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE A.M.SHAFFIQUE

MONDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2015/16TH BHADRA, 1937

WP(C).No. 26920 of 2015 (L)

PETITIONER(S) :-

PASTOR SAM GEORGE, AGED 55 YEARS, S/O.E.C.GEORGE,
GENERAL SECRETARY IN CHARGE,
INDIAN PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD,
HEADQUARTERS, HEBRON, KUMBANAD.

BY ADV. SMT.K.S.SANTHI

RESPONDENT(S) :-

1. THE DISTRICT POLICE CHIEF, PATHANAMTHITTA,
PATHANAMTHITTA - 689 645.
2. THE SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE, KOIPURAM POLICE STATION,
PULLAD, PATHANAMTHITTA DISTRICT - 689 531.
3. ABRAHAM JOSEPH @ SUDHI,
VAKYAPALLATHU HOUSE, KALLUMKAL P.O.,
THIRUVALLA, PATHANAMTHITTA DISTRICT - 689 102.

R1 & R2 BY SR.GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI.C.R.SYAMKUMAR

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR
ADMISSION ON 07-09-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED
THE FOLLOWING:

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APPENDIX

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS :-

EXT.P1 :- COPY OF NOTICE DATED 26.5.2015 ISSUED BY THE PETITIONER INFORMING THE MEETING OF GENERAL COUNCIL.

EXT.P2 :- COPY OF NOTICE DATED 24.8.2015 ISSUED BY THE PETITIONER INFORMING THE MEETING OF GENERAL PRESBYTERY.

EXT.P3 :- COPY OF EVALUATION REPORT SUBMITTED BY "Y-SHAKH PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND CONSULTANCY SERVICES".

EXT.P4 :- COPY OF REPRESENTATION DATED 6-9-2015 SUBMITTED BY THE PETITIONER TO THE 2ND RESPONDENT.

EXT.P5 :- COPY OF RECEIPT DATED 6-9-2015 ISSUED BY THE FIRST RESPONDENT.

EXT.P5(a) :- ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF EXHIBIT P5.

RESPONDENT'S EXHIBITS :- NIL.

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P.A. TO JUDGE

**ASHOK BHUSHAN, C.J &
A.M. SHAFFIQUE, J.**

W.P.(C) No.26920 of 2015

Dated this the 7th day of September 2015

J U D G M E N T

Shaffique, J.

The petitioner has approached this Court seeking for police protection inter alia alleging that a meeting of the General Council of Indian Pentecostal Church of God is scheduled to be held from 8.9.2015 to 10.9.2015 and another meeting is scheduled to be held on 11.9.2015. The petitioner apprehends that there might be some law and order problem with reference to the conduct of meeting by certain group of members, who are against the Organisation. The petitioner had submitted Ext.P4 complaint to the police, but he apprehends that the police may not take any action unless directions are issued by this Court.

2. Having regard to the nature of order being passed in this writ petition, no notice is required to be issued to the 3rd respondent.

3. The Organisation, in which the petitioner is the Secretary has to conduct their meetings, for which, this Court cannot interfere with the internal dispute among the members.

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However, if there is any law and order situation, the police can interfere and take necessary action. We only observe that the 2nd respondent shall look into Ext.P4 complaint and take necessary action in accordance with the procedure prescribed and prevent any law and order situation, which may arise during the aforesaid meetings.

This writ petition is disposed of as above.

Sd/-
ASHOK BHUSHAN
CHIEF JUSTICE

Sd/-
A.M. SHAFFIQUE
JUDGE