

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 09-02-2015

Coram :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE T.S. SIVAGNANAM

Writ Petition No. 7867 of 2014
and
M.P. No. 1 of 2014

Vazhuvoor Ravi

.. Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Tamil Nadu
rep. by its Secretary to Government
Tourism, Art and Cultural Department
Fort St. George, Chennai - 600 009
2. The Commissioner
Art and Culture Directorate
Tamil Development Campus 2nd Floor
Halls Road, Egmore, Chennai - 600 008
3. The Member Secretary
Tamil Nadu Eyal Isai Natakamanram
No.31, P.S. Kumarasamy Raja Salai
Raja Annamalaipuram, Chennai - 600 028

.. Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of The Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to conduct the election for the General Council of the Tamil Nadu Eyal Isai Nataka Mandram.

For Petitioner : Mr. V. Ravi

For Respondents : Mr. V. Jayaprakash Narayanan
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner seeks for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to conduct the election for the general council of the Tamil Nadu Eyal Isai Nataka Mandram.

2. The learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondents submitted that already the Government has issued G.O. Ms. No.22, Tourism, Culture and Hindu Religious Department dated 19.01.2015, whereby amendments were brought to the constitution of the Tamil Nadu Eyal Isai Nataka Manram. By virtue of the amendment, the Government decided not to elect the members to the

General Council by conducting an election by accepting the proposals sent by the second respondent. In the light of the above Government Order, the relief of Mandamus sought for in this petition cannot be granted. The writ petition is dismissed. No costs. Consequently, MP No. 1 of 2014 is closed.

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Asst.Registrar (AD I)

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Sub Asst. Registrar

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1 cc to Government Pleader, sr. 6950

1 cc to Mr.V. Ravi, Advocate, Sr. 6784

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