

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated: 27..04..2015

Coram:

The Honourable Mr.SANJAY KISHAN KAUL, CHIEF JUSTICE
and
The Honourable Mr.Justice T.S.SIVAGNANAM

W.P.No.12586 of 2015

Sathya Seelan

.. Petitioner

versus

1.The Director of Town Planning
No.807, Anna Salai,
Chennai.

2.The District Collector
Ooty, Nilgiris District.

3.The Commissioner
Ooty Municipality
Ooty, Nilgiris District.

4.Town Planning Officer,
Ooty Municipality,
Ooty, Nilgiris District.

.. Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issue of a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents to pass appropriate orders based on the petitioner's representation dated 21.03.2015 with regard to all unauthorised constructions built in violation of Section 217-b of the Tamil Nadu District Municipality Act, 1920, in Ooty, Nilgiris District and more particularly, usage of sites for commercial purpose in the prohibited use zone (PH) and primary vegetative zone(PV) from the boundaries of Uthagamandalam Lake, Ooty, Nilgiris District.

For Petitioners ::: Mr.Krishnappan
Senior Counsel for Mr.V.Srinivasa Babu

For Respondents ::: Mr.S.T.S.Murthy
Government Pleader

O R D E R

(The Order of the Court was made by The Hon'ble The Chief Justice)

The issue relates to unauthorised construction in Ooty, a subject matter, of which we are already in seizin, in different petitions. We are not inclined to tag this petition with those petitions by creating multifarious proceedings especially when the case of the petitioner is that he noticed the unauthorised construction when he was on a holiday in Ooty, while he is a resident of Thanjavur.

2. The writ petition accordingly stands closed. No costs. Consequently, M.P.Nos.1 and 2 of 2015 are closed.

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Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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+ 1 cc to Mr.V. Srinivasa Babu, Advocate SR.22841

+ 1 cc Government Pleader Sr.23248

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