

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated : 11.8.2015

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

W.P.No.18498 of 2015

N.Arumugam

...Petitioner

- Vs -

- 1 The District Collector
Vizhupuram Vizhupuram District.
- 2 The Assistant Director
The Rural Development Department Vizhupuram
Vizhupuram District.
- 3 The Block Development Officer
Vanoor Block Thiruchitrambalam Koot road
Vizhupuram District.
- 4 The Panchayat President
Kunnam Village Panchayat Vanoor Taluk
Vizhupuram District

...Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue Writ of mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 3 to take action against the 4th respondent for the misappropriation of the public funds as provided under the Tamil Nadu Panchayat Act and other penal laws based on the petitioner Complaint dated 13.4.2015.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Sathyaraj

For R1 to R4 : Mr. R.A.S.Senthilvel,
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The writ petition is filed for the issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 3 to take action against the 4th respondent for the misappropriation of the public funds as provided under the Tamil Nadu Panchayat Act and other penal laws based on the petitioner Complaint dated 13.4.2015.

2. The petitioner being a ward member made a complaint on 13.4.2015 seeking to take action against the respondents for misappropriation of public funds.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that as per the information obtained from the Right to Information Act on the application of petitioner dated 13.4.2015 signed by the Information Officer dated 05.06.2015, the Block Development Officer on enquiry found the misappropriation. Consequently, he has prevented respondent No.4 from operating bank account. However, no action has been taken for the alleged misappropriation.

4. Considering the same and taking note of the representation of the petitioner dated 13.4.2015 which is pending consideration under respondent No.1, the said authority is directed to pass appropriate orders on the same within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. Writ petition is disposed of accordingly. No costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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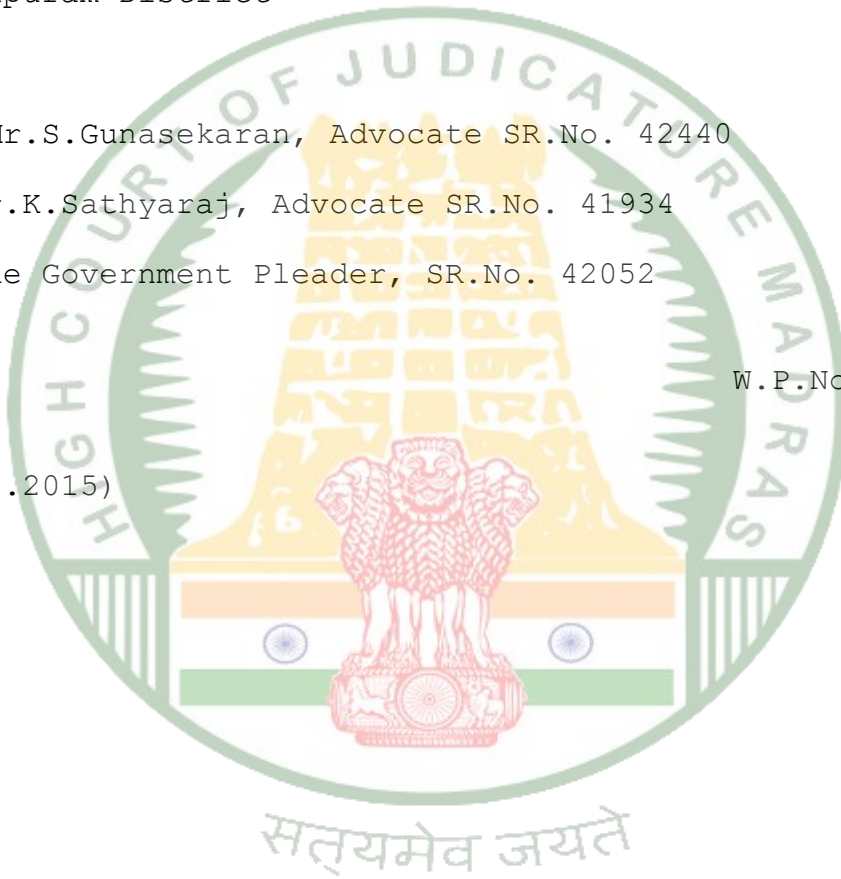
2 CCs to Mr.S.Gunasekaran, Advocate SR.No. 42440

1 CC to Mr.K.Sathyaraj, Advocate SR.No. 41934

1 CC to the Government Pleader, SR.No. 42052

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