

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 17.03.2015

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. SANJAY KISHAN KAUL, CHIEF JUSTICE
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

Writ Petition No. 2791 of 2015

A. Radhakrishnan .. Petitioner

vs.

1. The Commissioner
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowment
Chennai 600 034
2. The District Collector
Salem District, Salem 636 001.
3. The Sub-Divisional Magistrate
and The Revenue Divisional Officer
Mettur, Salem.
4. The Joint Commissioner
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowment
Salem.
5. The Executive Officer
Arulmughu Pathrakaliamman Thirukoil
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowment
Mecheri, Mettur Taluk, Salem District.
6. The Superintendent of Police
Salem District.
7. The Assistant Director
District Land Survey Office
Salem 636 001.
8. The Tahsildar
Mettur Taluk, Salem 636 001.

.. Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to remove all the encroachments made in the Car Streets and around the Arulmighu Pathrakaliamman Thirukoil situated at Mechery, Mettur Taluk, Salem District for conducting Temple Car trail to be conducted

on 22.02.2015 and subsequently for celebrating Great Temple Car Festival in the respondent temple.

For Petitioner : Mr. A. Nagarathinam
For Respondents : Mr. S.T.S. Murthi
Govt. Pleader for R2, 3 & 6 to 8
Mr. M.L. Mahendran
Govt. Advocate for R1, 4 & 5.

O R D E R

(Made by The Hon'ble The Chief Justice)

We have perused the affidavits filed which state that with the police assistance and cooperation of the encroachers, the encroachments made in the Car Streets and around the Temple have been removed. Of course, the affidavits are silent as to how these at all occurred. As usual, there is no endeavour to fix responsibility by the Government on anybody in not performing his duties. Much as we would, we cannot improve the functioning of the Government in these matters

2. We direct that the encroachments removed should not be permitted to arise again and the Revenue Divisional Officer and the Tahsildar shall be responsible to ensure due compliance of these directions, so that such problem does not crop up.

3. The petition stands disposed of with the aforesaid directions. No costs.

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Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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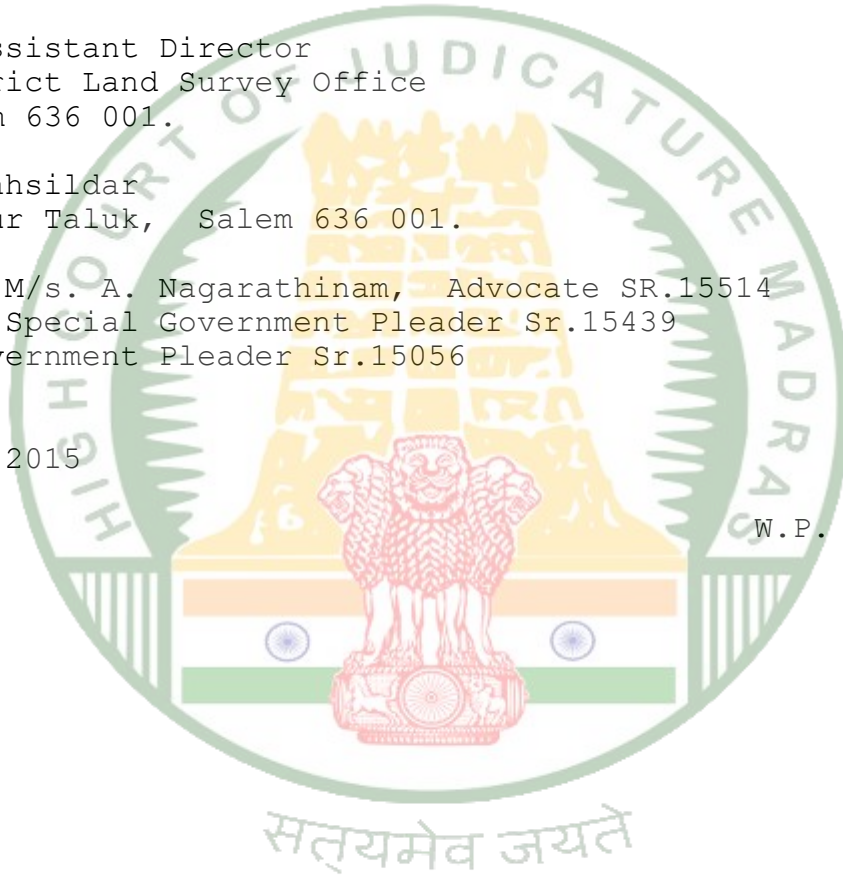
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