

In the High Court of Judicature at Madras

Dated: 10.09.2015

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

Writ Petition No. 28569 of 2015

C. Mamallan

.. Petitioner

vs.

1. The Commissioner
Corporation of Chennai
Rippon Buildings, Chennai-3.
2. The Assistant Commissioner
Zone-5, Corporation of Chennai
Basin Bridge Road, Mint, Chennai.
3. The Assistant Engineer
Division-57, Corporation of Chennai
Davidson Street, Chennai-1.
4. The Inspector of Police
C-2, Elephant Gate Police Station
Chennai.

.. Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing respondents 1 to 3 to take necessary action as against the illegal Banner/ Hoardings fixed waylaying in front of petitioner's shop and removal of the same based on the representation dated 17.8.2015.

For Petitioner : Mr. J. Karunanithi

For Respondents : Mr. K. Soundararajan
Standing Counsel for R1 to R3
Mr. S.T.S. Murthi, Govt. Pleader
assisted by Mr. V.R. Kamalanathan
Addl. Govt. Pleader for R4.

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(Made by The Hon'ble The Chief Justice)

The grievance of the petitioner is in respect of the hoardings, which are impermissible and put right in front of the shop of the

petitioner, resulting in blockage of even a reasonable access to the shop. Despite repeated complaints, nothing has happened.

2. When the matter was listed today, we had called upon the learned Standing Counsel for the Corporation to summon the Officer concerned as to how these boards are being permitted. We are informed that all the boards have been removed on the street, including that in front of the shop of the petitioner. However, the matter does not end at this, as there is always an apprehension that in future such boards may be installed.

3. We make the second respondent or whoever may hold the office personally responsible to ensure that no such hoardings are put in the area in future.

4. The writ petition accordingly stands disposed of. No costs.

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Asst.Registrar (CO)

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Sub Asst. Registrar

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To

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