

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated: 27.11.2015

Coram:

The Honourable Mr.SANJAY KISHAN KAUL, CHIEF JUSTICE
and
The Honourable Mrs.Justice PUSHPA SATHYANARAYANA

Writ Petition No.37622 of 2015

Rangarajan Narasimhan

.. Petitioner

Versus

1.The Secretary,
Department of Tamil Development Culture,
Religious and Endowments and Information
Secretariat, Fort St.George,
Chennai 600 009.

2.The Commissioner,
HR & CE Department,
Uthamar Gandhi Salai,
Nungambakkam, Chennai 600 039.

3.The Assistant Commissioner,
HR & CE, Namakkal.

4.The Director - Monuments
The Archaeological Survey of India
Janpath, New Delhi.

5.The Superintending Archaeologist
The Archaeological Survey of India
Chennai Circle, Fort St.George, Chennai.

6. K.T.Narasimhan
Consultant Archaeologist/Conservationist
HR & CE Department,
Uthamar Gandhi Salai, Nungambakkam,
Chennai 600 039.

... Respondents

Petitions filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issue of a writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st respondent to form an autonomous Expert Task Force (ETF) consisting of Agamic Experts, Sampradhaya Experts, Historians, Archaeological Experts Institutions/Scientists with specialization in preservation/restoration of ancient

structures, paintings and murals, wood works etc., for the purpose of conservation of all monuments in the State of Tamil Nadu.

For Petitioner ::: Mr.Rangarajan Narasimhan
Party-in-person

For Respondents ::: Mr.P.H.Arvind Pandian
Additional Advocate
General
assisted by
Mr.V.R.Kamalanathan AGP
for R.1 to R.3
Mr.Su.Srinivasan for R.4 and
R.5

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

The larger issue qua forming an autonomous Expert Task Force is already before us in a suo motu proceedings in W.P.No.574 of 2015 and we are not inclined to have another petition on this issue.

2. The writ petition accordingly stands closed. No costs.

-s/d-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

To

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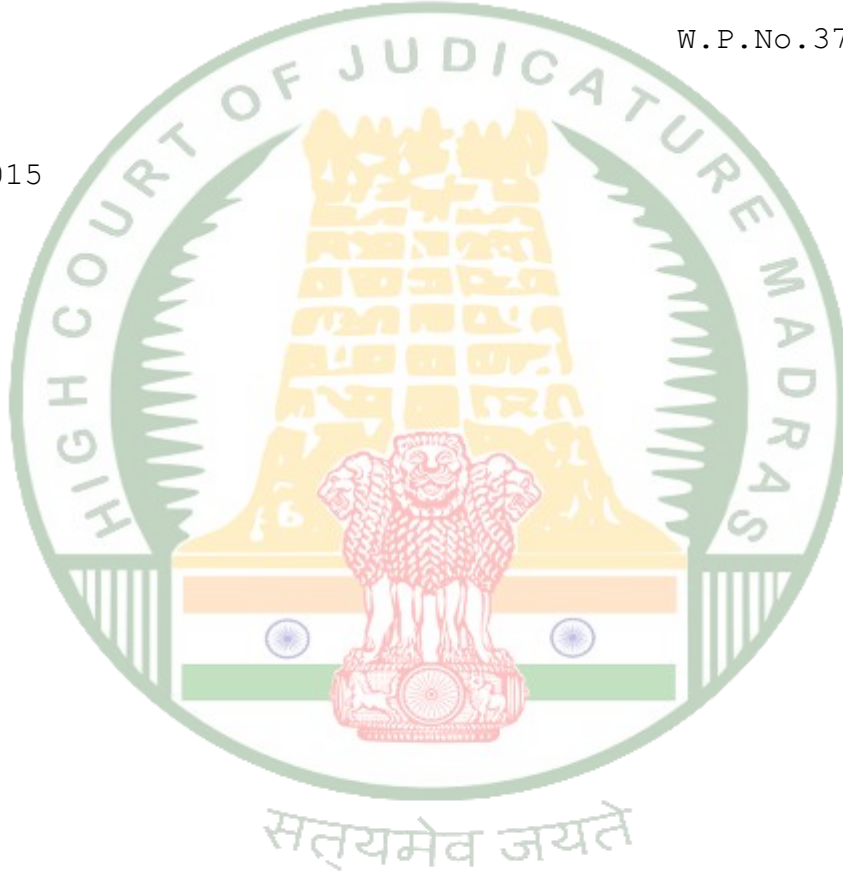
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