

In the High Court of Judicature at Madras

Dated: 08.01.2015

Coram:

The Honourable Mr. SANJAY KISHAN KAUL, Chief Justice
and
The Honourable Mr. Justice M.M. SUNDRESH

Writ Petition No. 390 of 2015

B. Kesavan

.. Petitioner

vs.

1. The Commissioner
Corporation of Chennai
Ripon Buildings
E.V.R. Periyar Salai
Chennai 600 003.

2. The Chief Engineer
Highways Department
Chepauk, Chennai 600 005.

3. The District Collector
Chennai District
Singaravelan Maligai
Chennai.

4. The Revenue Divisional Officer
cum Sub Collector
Singaravelan Maligai
Chennai.

5. The Tahsildar
Egmore-Nungambakkam Taluk
Mayor Ramanathan Salai
Chetpet, Chennai 600 003.

6. Murali

.. Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct respondents 1 to 5 to remove the Amman Temple built on the 100 Feet Road, Periyar Padhai Signal, Vadapalani, Chennai by the sixth respondent by considering the petitioner's representation dated 26.11.2014.

For Petitioner : Mr. D. Lakshmipathy
For Respondents : Mr. S.T.S. Murthi
Govt. Pleader for R2 to R5
Mr. K. Soundararajan
Standing Counsel for R1.

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(Made by The Hon'ble The Chief Justice)

The petitioner is aggrieved by the construction of a temple by the sixth respondent on the pavement adjacent to the road, which is stated to be under the Highways Department. It is alleged that apart from causing obstruction on the pavement, there is also obstruction of observing the signal and such a temple could not have been constructed. The petitioner addressed a representation dated 26.11.2014 in this behalf to the first five respondents.

2. We, thus, call upon the second respondent/Chief Engineer, Highways Department to dispose of the representation of the petitioner by a speaking order, after notice to all concerned, within a maximum period of two months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

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

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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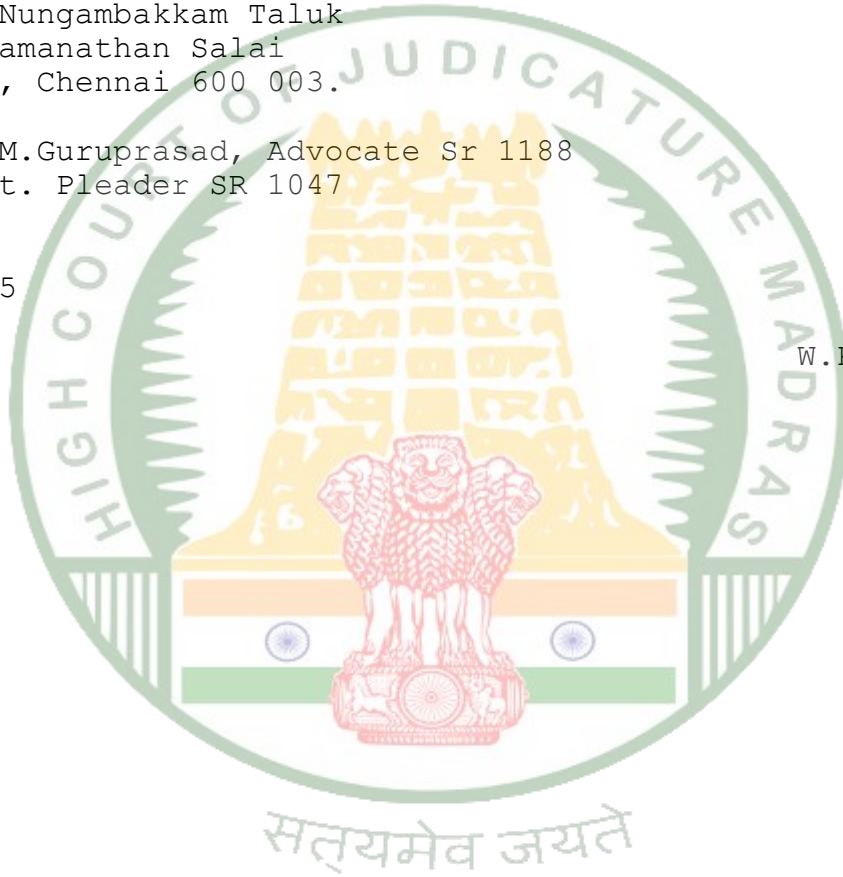
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+1cc to Govt. Pleader SR 1047

RJ(CO)
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