

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 21.01.2015

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The Hon'ble MR.SANJAY KISHAN KAUL, CHIEF JUSTICE
AND
The Hon'ble MR.JUSTICE M.M.SUNDRESH

W.P.No.16520 of 2009

Indian People Federation for
Social Change, Reg.No.19/2009,
Madurai, rep. by its General Secretary,
K.Anandan. ... Petitioner

-vs-

- 1.The Election Commission of India,
Rep. by Chief Election Commissioner,
New Delhi.
- 2.The Chief Electoral Officer of Tamilnadu,
Secretariat, Chennai.
- 3.The Union of India,
Rep. by Ministry of Law & Justice,
Union Secretariat, New Delhi. .. Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India
praying for issue of Writ of Declaration to declare Rule 49 O of the
Conduct of Election Rules 1961 as unconstitutional and ultravires and
consequently direct the respondents to devise a suitable method for
registering the unwillingness of a voter to vote for any candidate,
by maintaining secrecy, as per Sections 128 and 94 of the
Representation of People Act, 1951.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Selvathirumurugan

For Respondents : No appearance for R-1
: Mr.V.R.Kamalanathan
Addl. Govt. Pleader for R-2
: Mr.A.S.Chakravarthy, SPC, for R-3

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petition has become infructuous and he seeks to withdraw the petition. An endorsement has been made.

2.Writ Petition is dismissed as withdrawn. No costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar
Dated:30.1.15

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

- 1.The Chief Election Commissioner,
Election Commission of India,
New Delhi.110 011
 - 2.The Chief Electoral Officer of Tamilnadu,
Secretariat, Chennai.600 009.
 - 3.The Union of India,
Rep. by Ministry of Law & Justice,
Union Secretariat, New Delhi.110 011.
- +1 cc to Mr.A.S.Chakravarthy, Advocate,SR.3278
- +1 cc to Government Pleader,SR.3161.

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