



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED:27.04.2015

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.M.SUNDRESH

Crl.O.P.(MD)No.8004 of 2015

1.M/s.Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited,
rep. by its Legal Manager
D.Kalaimani.

2.Mathiyalagan ... Petitioners
Vs.

The Inspector of Police,
Temple Police Station,
Tiruchendur,
Thoothukudi District. ... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure to direct the respondent herein to provide police protection to the first petitioner's company to erect the Transmission Tower at second petitioner's property situated at Tiruchendur, Ambedkar Street, Thoppur, Thoothukudi District.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.G.Shankar Ganesh
For Respondents : Mr.K.Anbarasan
Government Advocate (Crl.side)

O R D E R

The petitioner herein seeking police protection to erect the transmission tower at Tiruchendur, Ambedkar Street, Thoppur, Thoothukudi District .

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that as the petitioner is legally entitled to erect the tower, there cannot be any objection from any third party.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the Division Bench of this Court has dismissed the writ petition filed by various persons involving the similar issues and there is no law prohibiting the erection of cell phone tower. The learned counsel for the petitioner also relies upon the order of this Court in Crl.O.P.(MD).Nos.12680, 12681 and 12682 of 2014 dated 11.07.2014.



4. Considering the submissions made, without going into the merits of the case, it is hereby ordered that so long as the petitioner carries on legal activities in accordance with law, he cannot be prevented from doing so. For such activities, the petitioner is entitled for appropriate police protection. Accordingly, a direction is issued to the respondent police to give adequate police protection to the petitioner, in the light of the observations made, as and when required.

5. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of with the above direction.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (Crl.Side)

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

To

1.The Inspector of Police,
Temple Police Station,
Tiruchendur,
Thoothukudi District.

2.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

+One cc to Mr.R.G.Shankar Ganesh, Advocate, SR.No.22981

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