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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 14.08.2015

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.SUDHAKAR

and

THE HONOURABLE MS.JUSTICE V.M.VELUMANI

Writ Petition (MD) No.2143 of 2014

Sikkandar

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Government of Tamilnadu,
rep.by its Secretary,
Ministry of Public Works Department,
For.St.George, Secretariat
Chennai - 600 009.

2.The District Collector,
Ramanathapuram District,
Ramanathapuram.

3.The Chief Engineer,
Public Works Department,
Thallakulam, Madurai 625 002.

4.The Superintending Engineer,
Public Works Department,
Paramakudi, Ramanathapuram District.

5.The Executive Officer,
Thondi Town Panchayat
Thondi, Ramanathapuram District.

... Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 2 to 5 to take immediate steps or action to remove the encroachments in Water line garbage and mud dumped in the Manimutharu river situated in Ward No.10 Narkudi Thondi, Ramanathapuram District, within a stipulated time as fixed by this Court based upon the Petitioner's representation dated 07.12.2013.

For Petitioner	: No appearance
For RR - 1 to 4	: Mr.M.Govindan Special Government Pleader
For R - 5	: Mr.K.Guru

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by R.SUDHAKAR,J.)

The prayer in the writ petition is to remove the encroachments in Water line garbage and mud dumped in the Manimutharu river situated in Ward No.10 Narkudi Thondi, Ramanathapuram District, based on the Petitioner's representation dated 07.12.2013.



2. None appeared for the petitioner.

3. Mr.M.Govindan, learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondents 1 to 4 states that instructions have been received and the Executive Officer will look into the matter.

4. Recording the said submission, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the Executive Officer, Thondi Town Panchayat/5th respondent herein to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 07.12.2013 and pass orders on its own merits and in accordance with law. It is made clear that this Court has not expressed any opinion on the merits of the case and the authority concerned is free to deal with the matter on its own merit as per law. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

- 1.The Secretary, Government of Tamilnadu,
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+1cc to The Special Government Pleader, Madurai. SR.No. 46870

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