

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 20.12.2016

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THE HON'BLE MR.SANJAY KISHAN KAUL, CHIEF JUSTICE
AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.SUNDAR

Contempt Petition No.2183 of 2016

P.Dinesh

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. S.A.Raman, I.A.S.
District Collector
Vellore District, Vellore.

2. P.Subramanian
Divisional Engineer
Highways Constructions and Maintenance
Vellore.

3. Siddarthan
Assistant Divisional Engineer
Highways Constructions and Maintenance
Arakkonam, Vellore District.

4. Kumaravel
Tahsildar
Arakkonam, Vellore District.

5. Soundarajan
Commissioner
Arakkonam Municipality
Arakkonam, Vellore District.

.. Respondents

PRAYER: Petition under Section 11 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 to punish the respondents for contempt of the order dated 23.3.2016 passed in W.P.No.37714 of 2015.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Jeremiah

For Respondents : Mr.C.Manisankar
Addl. Advocate General
assisted by
Mr.T.N.Rajagopalan
Spl. Government Pleader

ORDER

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

The learned Additional Advocate General points out that it was not correctly pointed out to the Court on 23.3.2016 while passing the order that the land did not vest with the Highway Department, but with the Municipality and, thus, the Court direction was passed against the third respondent, though actually the action had to be taken by the fifth respondent. It is stated that this has delayed the process.

2. We may also note that the direction of the Court was only to proceed in accordance with law for removal of any alleged encroachment. The action has subsequently been taken by issuance of notice and passing of orders, which in turn was assailed by the affected sixth respondent in the writ petition.

The petition is thus closed. Consequently, Sub
Application Nos.682 and 691 of 2016 are closed.

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Dated at Madras this the day of 2016.

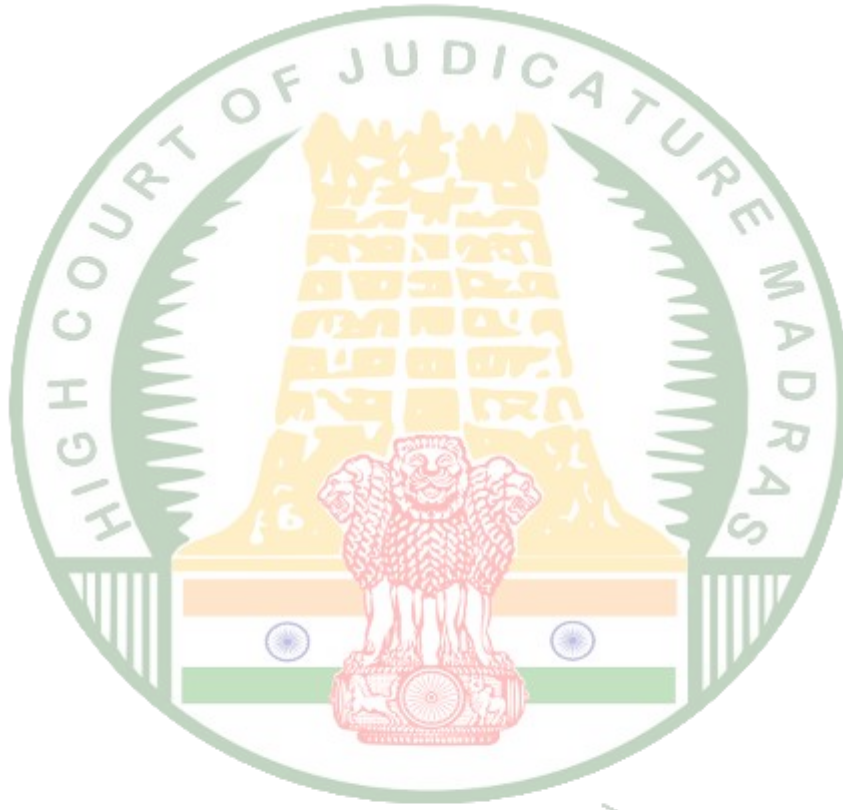
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