

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED:17.08.2016

CORAM :

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

AND

The Hon'ble MR.JUSTICE R.MAHADEVAN

W.P. No.28507 of 2016

and

WMP.No.24616 of 2016

N.Panduranga Chettiar .. Petitioner

-vs-

1.Union Territory of Puducherry,
rep. by its Chief Secretary,
Chief Secretariat, Goubert Avenue,
Puducherry-605 001.

2.The Commissioner of Excise,
Excise Department,
Chief Secretariat, Goubert Avenue,
Puducherry-605 001.

3.The Deputy Commissioner of Excise,
Excise Department,
Thattanchavadi,
Puducherry.

4.R.Tamizh Selvi .. Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issue of Writ of Mandamus directing the 2nd and 3rd respondents to shift and relocate the Arrack shop bearing license No.11 in Mullodai village, Uchchimedu Revenue Village, Bahour Commune in Union Territory of Puducherry to government poramboke land or to any other available space.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Veeraraghavan

For Respondents : Mr.M.Govindaraj
Govt. Pleader (Pondy) for R1 to R3

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

The petitioner has been unsuccessful in the endeavour to shift the arrack shop despite representations made, as it has been found not feasible to locate it in another place.

2. On our query as to which Rule or norm has been violated, nothing has been pointed out to us. Not only that the issue as to what should be the restrictions in the location of the liquor shop on the State Highways is the subject matter of the proceedings pending before the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

3. In view of the aforesaid, at present, it is not possible to issue any directions in this writ petition and the writ petition is dismissed. No costs. Consequently, WMP.No.24616 of 2016 is also dismissed.

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Sd/-
Asst.Registrar

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Sub Asst. Registrar

To

1.The Chief Secretary,
Chief Secretariat, Goubert Avenue,
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+ 1 cc to Mr.P.Veeraraghavan, Advocate Sr 47022

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