

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED :: 15.04.2016

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE T.S. SIVAGNANAM

WRIT PETITION NO: 2855 OF 2016

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WMP Nos 1396 & 2409 of 2016

S.S. Narayanan
S/O Late.Mr.SG.Sethurama Rao,
Old No: 3, New No: 5
Thanikachalam Road
T. Nagar
Chennai - 600 017. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Commissioner
Corporation of Chennai
Rippon Buildings, Park Town
Chennai - 600 003.
2. The Executive Engineer (T.P.)
Corporation of Chennai, Zone 9
Valluvar Kottam,
Nungambakkam
Chennai - 600 034.
3. The Asst. Executive Engineer (T.P.)
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Nungambakkam
Chennai - 600 034.
4. The Chairman,
TamilNadu Electricity Board,
Annasalai,
Chennai.
5. The Superintending Engineer
Chennai Electricity Distribution Circle
Tamil Nadu Electricity Board
110 KV Sub Station
Valluvar Kottam, Nungambakkam
Chennai - 600 034.

6. The Area Engineer, Zone 9
Chennai Electricity Distribution Circle
Tamil Nadu Electricity Board
Thanikachalam Road, T. Nagar
Chennai - 600 017.

... Respondents

Writ Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondents officials to give Electricity connection to the residential flats constructed in the property bearing New Door No: 5 (Old Door No:3), Thanikachalam Road, T. Nagar, Chennai - 600 017, comprised in T.S. No: 6514, Block No: 140 of Thyagaraya Nagar Division, within the limits of Corporation of Chennai without insisting permission from the concerned local politicians.

For petitioner	::	Mr. T.Vineeth Kumar
For resp. 1 to 3	::	Mr. P.V. Selvakumar
For resps. 4 to 6	::	Mr. P.R. Dhilipkumar

ORDER

After several adjournments and interim directions, at last the Corporation of Chennai has passed an order on 06.04.2016 granting permission for cutting the road to enable the C.M.W.S.S.B. to lay the water and sewerage line. This order imposes a condition for remitting Rs.1.70 lakhs being the amount payable as restoration charges.

2. Mr. J. Thennavan, Junior Engineer and Mr.P.Gnananchandran, Assistant Executive Engineer of the Corporation of Chennai are present in Court. This Court has questioned them as to who has to restore the road to its original position. The officials submitted that it is the duty of the Corporation of Chennai to do so and they have assured that as soon as the work is completed by C.M.W.S.S.B., they will restore the road to the original condition. This submission is placed on record. While cutting the road and laying the pipes for the Water and Sewerage connection, the authorities shall ensure that it causes minimum dislocation to the traffic in the said road.

3. With the above direction, the writ petition stands disposed of. Connected miscellaneous petitions are closed. There shall be no orders as to the costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS V)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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