

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 18.11.2016

CORAM :

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

AND

The Hon'ble MR.JUSTICE R.MAHADEVAN

W.P. No.40514 of 2016

T.Suriyamoorthy

.. Petitioner

-vs-

1.The District Collector,
Cuddalore District, Cuddalore.

2.The Zonal Manager,
Bank of India, Zonal Office Building,
2nd Floor, No.17, Erabalu Street,
Chennai 600 001.

3.The Manager,
Bank of India,
Parivilagam Branch, No.15,
Kennedy Street, Kothavasal Post,
Kattumannarkudi Taluk,
Cuddalore District.

.. Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issue of Writ of Mandamus to forbear respondents 1 and 2 from shifting the bank branch namely, Bank of India, Parivilagam Branch, IFSC Code: BKID0008385 situated at No.15, Kennedy Street, Kothavasal Post, Cuddalore District to any other place.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Munusamy

For Respondents : Mr.R.Vijayakumar
Addl.G.P. for R-1

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

We are not inclined to entertain a public interest litigation on the issue of shifting of a branch of a nationalised bank as that falls within the domain of the

functioning of the commercial institution, the bank. The petitioner has already made a representation and has drawn our attention to the R.B.I. Master circular relating to closure of branches and naturally, all nationalised banks are bound by the circular and are, thus, required to follow the same.

2.Writ petition is dismissed with the aforesaid observation.
No costs.

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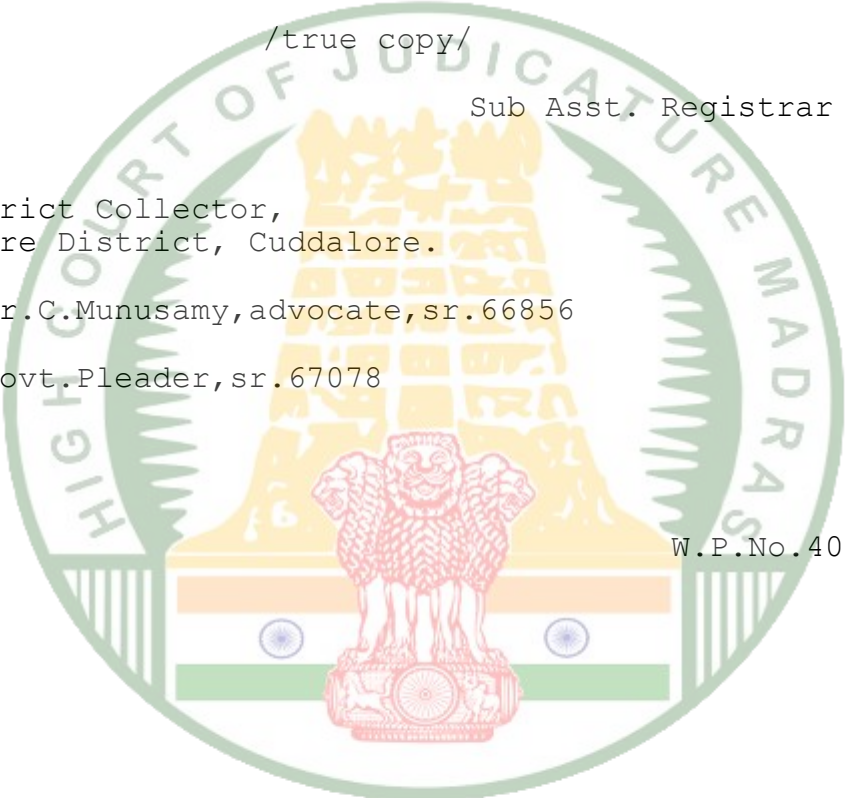
1.The District Collector,
Cuddalore District, Cuddalore.

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