

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 14.12.2016

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE T.RAJA

W.P.No.43166 of 2016

D.Sendhil Kumar

.. Petitioner

Vs

1.The Chief Secretary to
Government of Tamil Nadu,
Fort St. George,
Chennai - 9.

2.The Home Secretary,
Government of Tamil Nadu,
Fort St. George,
Chennai - 9.

3.The Secretary to Government,
Forest Department,
Fort St. George,
Chennai - 9.

4.The District Collector,
Coimbatore District.
Coimbatore.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of mandamus to direct the third respondent through the fourth respondent to conduct enquiry on the petitioner's representation dated 21.11.2016 and to stop the unauthorized festival to be conducted on 12.12.2016 in the hill shrine for ever, in the name of Karthigai Maha Deepam.

For petitioner : Mr.P.Ayyaswamy

For R1, R2 & R4 : Mr.M.Elumalai, GA

For R3 : Mr.N.Inbanathan, GA (forests)

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Today, when the matter is taken up at 10.40 a.m., there is no representation for the petitioner and again, after pass-

over, when the matter is taken up at 1.00 p.m., no one appeared on behalf of the petitioner.

2. A mere reading of the prayer shows that the prayer sought for by the petitioner has already become infructuous, as he sought for a direction to the third respondent / the Secretary to Government, Forest Department, Chennai, to stop the unauthorized festival said to have been held on 12.12.2016. Thus, nothing survives for further adjudication and accordingly, the writ petition is dismissed as infructuous. No Costs. WMP.No.37000 of 2016 is closed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

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