



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED : 09.11.2016

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **S.NAGAMUTHU**

and

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **M.V.MURALIDARAN**

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W.P(MD)No.11368 of 2014 and MP(MD)No.1 of 2014

THIRUMALAI ADVERTISING

REP BY ITS PARTNER S. SUNDAR VIJAY

VIRATTIPATHU MADURAI-2.

.. Petitioner

Vs.

THE DIVISIONAL ENGINEER

(CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE) HIGHWAYS

DEPARTMENT MADURAI.

.. Respondents

Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus forbearing the respondent from removing the advertisement boards put up by the petitioner in Kalavasal bye Pass road Madurai City.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Anwar Sameem for
Mr.G.R.Swaminathan

For Respondents : Mr.M.Govindan
Spl. Government Pleader

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by M.V.MURALIDARAN, J.)

The petitioner has come up with this writ petition seeking a mandamus forbearing the respondents from removing the advertisement boards put up by the petitioner in Kalavasal bye Pass road Madurai City.

2. We have heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Special Government Pleader for the respondent.

3. The case of the petitioner is that the District Collector has granted permission for putting up the boards in the Kalavasal Bypass Road. He has also produced the agreement, which was executed by the Highways Department to the petitioner. The said period is also only for 25.06.2012 to 24.06.2013.



4. The learned Special Government Pleader pointed out that the period was expired long back on 24.06.2013 itself.

5. In yet another public interest litigation, this Court has already issued a direction to remove all the hoardings and flex boards.

6. In view of the same, the writ petition is dismissed with a direction to the respondent to remove the advertisement boards within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs. Consequently connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

THE DIVISIONAL ENGINEER
(CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE) HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT,
MADURAI.

+1 CC to THE SPECIAL GOVERNMENT PLEADER, SR No.67912

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