



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 08.08.2016

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE DR.JUSTICE S.VIMALA

W.P(MD)No.14325 of 2016

E.Ukkirapandian

...Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Commissioner of Police,
Madurai City, Madurai.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Thirupparankundram Police Station,
Madurai.

...Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents herein to grant permission and protection for "Aadal Padal program perform in "Mulaippari Urchava Vizha" scheduled to be held on 17.08.2016 at Arulmigu Sri Manthaiyamman Thirukovil at Pasumalai, Madurai Central, Madurai.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Muthamil Rajan

For Respondents : Mr.D.Muruganandam,
Addl. Govt. Pleader.O R D E R

The writ petition has been filed for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to give permission and protection to conduct the Aadal Padal program on 17.08.2016 in connection with "Mulaippari Urchava Vizha" of Arulmigu Sri Manthaiyamman Thirukovil, Pasumalai, Madurai Central, Madurai, based on the petitioner's representation dated 04.08.2016.

2.Mr.D.Muruganandam, learned Additional Government Pleader, takes notice for the respondents. By consent, the writ petition itself is taken up for final disposal.

3.Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents.

4.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the programme is being conducted by the villagers regularly in order to promote harmony during the above said festival period; that a representation was given to the second respondent, but, however, the same was not considered by the second respondent so far and hence, the petitioner is before this Court with this writ petition. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would further submit that as the aforesaid festival is celebrated in a peaceful manner by the villagers, there will be no untoward incident on account of this celebration.

