



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 20.04.2016

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE P.N.PRAKASH**W.P.(MD) Nos.5170 and 6151 of 2016**

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| 1. Kunjararaj | ... Petitioner in W.P.(MD) No.5170/2016 |
| 2. T.Ravindran | ... Petitioner in W.P.(MD) No.6151/2016 |

-vs-

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| 1. State represented by
The Superintendent of Police,
Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District. | |
| 2. The Inspector of Police,
Eathamozhy Police Station,
Kanyakumari District. | |
| 3. Raveendran | ... Respondents in W.P.(MD)
No.5170/2016 |

(R3 impleaded by order dated 20.04.2016)

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| 1. The Superintendent of Police,
Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District. | |
| 2. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District. | |
| 3. The Inspector of Police,
Eathamozhy Police Station,
Kanyakumari District. | |
| 4. R.Kunjaraj | ... Respondents in W.P.(MD)
No.6151/2016 |

(R4 impleaded by order dated 20.04.2016)

Prayer in W.P.(MD) No.5170/2016: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to provide adequate police protection and permission to celebrate the festival with using mike set from 14.04.2016 to 21.04.2016 the Arulmegu Perumalswamy Temple South Soorankudy (Pottalvilakku) Kanyakumari District by considering the representation of the petitioner dated 29.02.2016.

Prayer in W.P. (MD) No.6151/2016: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to provide adequate police protection to celebrate the annual Chithra Pournami Nainar Nonbu Festival in the Arulmigu Perumalswamy Temple South Soorankudi (Pottal Vilakku) Kanyakumari District from 17.04.2016 to 22.04.2016 by considering the representation of the petitioner dated 20.03.2016.

For Petitioners: Mr.N.S.Ramakrishna Dass
(in W.P.(MD) No.5170/2016)
Mr.S.C.Herold Singh
(in W.P.(MD) No.6151/2016)

For Respondents: Mr.D.Muruganandam,
Addl. Govt. Pleader

C O M M O N O R D E R

The writ petition in W.P.(MD) No.5170 of 2016 has been filed for a direction to the respondents to provide adequate police protection and permission to celebrate the festival with using mike set from 14.04.2016 to 21.04.2016 the Arulmigu Perumalswamy Temple South Soorankudy (Pottalvilakku) Kanyakumari District by considering the representation of the petitioner dated 29.02.2016. The prayer in the writ petition in W.P.(MD) No.6151 of 2016 is to direct the respondents to provide adequate police protection to celebrate the annual Chithra Pournami Nainar Nonbu Festival in the Arulmigu Perumalswamy Temple South Soorankudi (Pottal Vilakku) Kanyakumari District from 17.04.2016 to 22.04.2016 by considering the representation of the petitioner dated 20.03.2016.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the State.

3. It is seen that both the petitioners are close relatives and they are staking claim to celebrate the Annual Chithra Pournami Nainar Nonbu festival in Arulmigu Perumalswamy Temple, South Soorankudi (Pottal Vilakku), Kanyakumari District from 14.04.2016 to 21.04.2016 and 17.04.2016 to 22.04.2016 respectively. Both of them have given representations to the respondent police for police protection.

4. Under such circumstances, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District / 2nd respondent in W.P. (MD) No.6151 of 2016 is directed to consider the representations of both the petitioners after holding discussions with the ~~petitioners~~ officials of the Temple and other interested parties and take action in accordance with law keeping in mind the fact



that there should not be any law and order problem and also the fact that election to the State Assembly is round the corner. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions is closed.

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Assistant Registrar

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Note: Issue order copy on 21.04.2016

To:

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District.
2. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District.
3. The Inspector of Police,
Eathamozhy Police Station,
Kanyakumari District.
4. The Additional Government Pleader,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

+1cc Mr.S.C.Herold Singh Advocate in SR.No.22093/16
+1cc spl.Govt.Pleader in SR.No.22462/16
+1cc Spl.Govt.Pleader in SR.No.22474/16
+1cc to M/s.N.S.Ramakrishnadass Advocate in SR.No.22533

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