



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 12.04.2016

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.N. PRAKASH

W.P.(MD) No.7090 of 2016

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... Petitioner

-vs-

The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Austinpatti Police Station,
Thirumangalam Taluk,
Madurai District.

.. Respondent

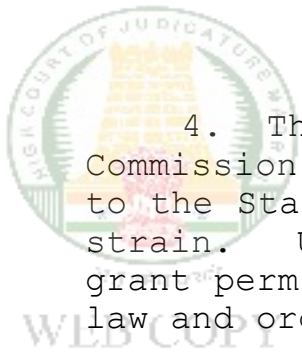
Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent to grant permission to the petitioner to conduct Adal Padal Programme on 13.04.2016 as part of the Arulmighu Kaliamman Vinayagar Kovil situated at Shanthi Nagar, Kappalur Village, Thirumangalam Taluk, Madurai District.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Anbusaravanan
For Respondents : Mr.D.Muruganandam,
Addl. Govt. Pleader

O R D E R

This writ petition has been filed, seeking a direction to the respondent to grant permission to the petitioner to conduct Adal Padal Programme on 13.04.2016 as part of the Arulmighu Kaliamman Vinayagar Kovil situated at Shanthi Nagar, Kappalur Village, Thirumangalam Taluk, Madurai District.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the villagers jointly decided to conduct Adal Padal Programme on 13.04.2016 as part of the Arulmighu Kaliamman Vinayagar Kovil situated at Shanthi Nagar, Kappalur Village, Thirumangalam Taluk, Madurai District. He would further submit that in this connection, a representation was given to the respondent police on 06.04.2016 & 07.04.2016, with a request to grant permission to conduct the programme on the above said date. However, the respondent Police has not yet considered the said representation and hence, the petitioner is before this Court with this Writ Petition.



4. This Court is aware of the fact that the Election Commission of India has already announced time table for elections to the State Assembly and therefore, the police will be under much strain. Under such circumstances, it will not be advisable to grant permission for such programmes, if there are going to be any law and order problem.

5. However, in view of the limited scope of prayer sought for in this petition, the respondent police is directed to pass orders in accordance with law either permitting or rejecting the representation dated 06.04.2016 & 07.04.2016, given by the petitioner, taking into account the law and order problem and other aspects, prevailing in the area, as expeditiously as possible.

6. With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AS)

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

To:

1. The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Austinpatti Police Station,
Thirumangalam Taluk,
Madurai District.

2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

+One cc to Mr. G. Anbusaravanan, Advocate, SR.No.20417

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