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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 29.04.2016

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE S.MANIKUMAR
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE S.S.SUNDAR

Writ Petition (MD).No.8924 of 2016

R.Angalaeaswari

..Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector,
Tiruchirapalli,
Tiruchirapalli District.
2. The Commissioner of Police,
Cantonment,
Tiruchirappalli City,
Tiruchirappalli.
3. The Assistant Commissioner,
Anti Land Grabbing Special Cell,
Cantonment,
Trichy City.
4. The Special Tahsildar,
Adi Dravidar Welfare Department,
Tiruchirappalli.
5. The Inspector of Police,
Srirangam,
Tiruchirapalli.

6. N.Muruganandhan

..Respondents

Prayer: Writ Appeal is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to evict the encroachment done by the sixth respondent bearing in the house Site No.110, Survey No.2488/2B, 2489/2 and 2490 situated at Thimmaraya Samudram Village, Srirangam Taluk, Tiruchirappallai District.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Baskaran

For R1 to R5 : Mr.C.Selvaraj

Special Govt. Pleader

O R D E R

(Order of the Court was made by S.MANIKUMAR,J.)

Material on record discloses that the subject property is stated to be in the possession of the petitioner, in which there is an alleged encroachment. She appears to have been made a representation to the Revenue authorities for removal of such alleged encroachment.



2. Revenue Officers are enjoined with a duty to ventilate the grievance of removal of encroachments only on Government lands, roads etc., and accordingly, as per G.O.Ms.No.540, Revenue [LD6(2)] Department dated 04.12.2014, they are not entitled to invoke the powers for removal of the alleged encroachments in private land owned by the petitioner. Therefore, the Mandamus sought for is wholly misconceived. Accordingly, the Writ Petition is dismissed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar (CS)

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+1cc to the Special Government Pleader in SR.25780

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