

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 27.04.2017

CORAM:

The Hon'ble Mr.Justice M.M.SUNDRESH

W.P.Nos.10764 to 10768 of 2017
and
W.M.P.Nos.11702 to 11706 of 2017

M.Subramaniam ... Petitioner in
W.P.No.10764 of
2017

M.M.Palanisamy ... Petitioner in
W.P.No.10765 of
2017

R.Thulasimani ... Petitioner in
W.P.No.10766 of
2017

S.Krishnaveni ... Petitioner in
W.P.No.10767 of
2017

N.Rangasamy ... Petitioner in
W.P.No.10768 of
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Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Erode District, Erode.

2.The Superintending Engineer,
General Construction Circle,
TANTRANSCO,
Dr.Subbarayan Road, Tatabad,
Coimbatore - 12.

3.The Executive Engineer,
General Construction Circle,
TANTRANSCO, Ellamedu,
Ingur, Perundurai Taluk,
Erode District.

... Respondents in
all the W.Ps

W.P.No.10764 of 2017: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus forbearing the respondents from erecting, drawing any High Tension Electricity Towers or Lines in the petitioner's agricultural lands bearing S.F.Nos.103/3A and 248/2A of Chinnapuliyur Village, Bhavani Taluk, Erode District, until the strict compliance of the Sections 10 and 16 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 r/w Sections 68 and 164 of the Indian Electricity Act, 2003.

W.P.No.10765 of 2017: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus forbearing the respondents from erecting, drawing any High Tension Electricity Towers or Lines in the petitioner's agricultural lands bearing S.F.Nos.17/2, 17/3, 18/2, 3/2B and 3/3 of Moolakarai Village, Erode Taluk, Erode District until the strict compliance of Sections 10 and 16 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 r/w Sections 68 and 164 of the Indian Electricity Act, 2003.

W.P.No.10766 of 2017: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus forbearing the respondents from erecting, drawing any High Tension Electricity Towers or Lines in the petitioner's agricultural lands bearing S.F.Nos.684/2 and 684/6 of Periyapuliyur Village, Erode District until the strict compliance of Sections 10 and 16 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 r/w Sections 68 and 164 of the Indian Electricity Act, 2003.

W.P.No.10767 of 2017: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus forbearing the respondents from erecting, drawing any High Tension Electricity Towers or Lines in the petitioner's agricultural lands bearing S.F.Nos.23/1, 23/2, 23/3, 23/4, 23/5 and 23/6 of Moolakarai Village, Erode District until the strict compliance of Sections 10 and 16 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 r/w Sections 68 and 164 of the Indian Electricity Act, 2003.

W.P.No.10768 of 2017: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus forbearing the respondents from erecting, drawing any High Tension Electricity Towers or Lines in the petitioner's agricultural lands bearing S.F.No.233/3 of Chinnapuliyur Village, Bhavani Taluk, Erode District until the strict compliance of Sections 10 and 16 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 r/w Sections 68 and 164 of the Indian Electricity Act, 2003.

For Petitioner .. Mr.M.Easan
in all the W.Ps

For Respondents .. Mr.S.K.Rameshwar
in all the W.Ps

COMMON ORDER

Mr.S.K.Rameshwar, learned counsel takes notice for the respondents.

2.Considering the commonality of the issue involved, these writ petitions are taken up together and disposed of by way of a common order.

3.It appears that the matter is pending before the District Magistrate under Section 16 of the Indian Telegraph act, 1885. In such view of the matter, the said authority viz., the first respondent is directed to pass appropriate orders on the same, after due notice to the parties concerned, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Needless to state that till then, status quo as on today shall be maintained.

4.With the above direction, these writ petitions stand disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

-s/d-
Assistant Registrar(CCC)

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

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To
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