

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 04.08.2017

CORAM :

The Hon'ble Mr.JUSTICE T.S.SIVAGNANAM

AND

The Hon'ble Mr.JUSTICE M.SUNDAR

W.P. No.20735 of 2017

T.Vasanthakumar

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Assistant Director,
Tamil Nadu Sports Committee,
Nehru Park Sports Campus,
No.116-A, E.Ve.Ra. Periyar Road,
Nehru Park,
Chennai-600 084.

2.The Commissioner,
Chennai Corporation,
Ripon Building,
Poonamallee High Road,
Chennai-600 003.

3.The Zonal Officer,
Zone-6,
Chennai Corporation,
No.5, Anderson Salai,
Ayanavaram,
Chennai-600 023.

4.The Assistant Engineer,
Division Office-75,
Chennai Corporation,
No.54, Vengadathiri Street,
Kuyapettai,
Chennai-600 012.

.. Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issue of Writ of Mandamus to direct the respondents 1 to 3 to take appropriate action to form a Volleyball play ground in B-Block, Main Street, Sivashanmugapuram, Purasaivakkam, Chennai-600 007 pursuant to the petitioner's representations dated 15.11.2016 and 7.3.2017.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Thirumoorthy

For Respondents : Mr.R.Vijayakumar, AGP for R-1
Mr.K.Soundarajan for RR2 to 4

ORDER

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

The petitioner claiming himself as a resident of Otteri seeks for a direction to the respondent Corporation to form a Volleyball play ground in the area, which has already been classified as play ground.

2 From the photographs filed along with the writ petition, we find that this is a Basketball court, which is now extensively damaged.

3 Learned counsel appearing for the respondent Corporation would submit that tenders were invited for construction of a Basketball court, but there were no bidders. Since the area is to be used for the purpose of playground, the respondent Corporation may take appropriate action to use it as a Basketball court or volleyball ground, but such a decision is left to them and the area should not be wasted and it should be maintained for the purpose of welfare of the youth of that area without putting it to any use other than that of a play ground as it is not disputed by the respondents 2 to 4 that it has been so classified.

4 This writ petition is disposed of with the above observations. No costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(J)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

- 1.The Assistant Director,
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+ 1 cc to Mr.Soundarajan, Advocate SR.56698

+ 1 cc to Government Pleader Sr.86405

+ 1 cc to Mr. Tirumoorthy, Advocate Sr.56225

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