



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 08.11.2017

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**THE HONOURABLE MS.INDIRA BANERJEE, CHIEF JUSTICE
AND
THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE J.NISHA BANU**

W.P. [MD].No.19912 of 2015

Manickavasagam : Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector
Sivagangai, Sivagangai District
2. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Devakottai,
Sivagangai District
3. The Tahsildar
Karaikudi,
Sivagangai District
4. The Block Development Officer,
Sakkottai Union,
Sivagangai District

5.Kodeeswaran @ Ambigapathi : Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus to direct the respondents No.1 to 4 to take action against the 5th respondent in order to restrain him to doing illegal sand theft based on petitioner's representations dated 28.08.2015, 31.08.2015, 21.09.2015 and 22.09.2015.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.M.Arun Swaminathan

For Respondents 1 to 4 : Mr.A.K.Baskarapandian
Special Government Pleader

For Respondent No.5 : Mr.R.Venkatesan

**O R D E R***********

[Order of the Court was made by **The Hon'ble Chief Justice**]

After hearing the respective parties, the Writ Petition is disposed of by directing the authorities to consider the representations of the petitioner, dated 28.08.2015, 31.08.2015, 21.09.2015 and 22.09.2015 in accordance with law and take necessary action to prevent illegal theft and quarrying of sand, if any. If there is illegal quarrying and theft as alleged, action in accordance with law shall be taken expeditiously, preferably, within 60 days from the date of communication of this order. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(P&A)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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+ 1 cc TO Mr.R.M.Arun Swaminathan , Advocate in SR No. **86078**
+ 1 cc TO M/S.Right Law Associates , Advocate in SR No. 86016

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