

**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT**

DATED : 30.06.2017

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE T.S.SIVAGNANAM
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.VELMURUGAN

W.P (MD) No.12223 of 2017

T.Manikandan

... Petitioner

vs.

The Inspector of Police,
Sempatty Police Station,
Sempatty, Dindigul District.

... Respondent

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for the records relating to the order passed by the respondent on 27.06.2017 and quash the same and consequently direct the respondent police to grant permission to conduct 'Kabaddi Tournament' which is scheduled to be held on 01.07.2017 and 02.07.2017 in Palayankottai Village, Sithayan Kottai, Athoor Taluk, Dindigul District.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Vellaichamy
For Respondent : Mr.K.Guru
Additional Government Pleader

O R D E R[Order of the Court made by **T.S.SIVAGNANAM, J.**]

The petitioner is before this Court challenging the proceedings of the respondent dated 27.06.2017, rejecting permission for conducting Kabaddi Tournament on 01.07.2017 and 02.07.2017, citing law and order issue.

2.Exercising the jurisdiction of this Court under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, we cannot substitute our opinion to that of the opinion of the police authority as regards the law and order situation prevailing in the area. Admittedly, no malafie has been alleged against the respondent. Therefore, we cannot set aside the order of the respondent on the grounds raised by the petitioner. However, we grant liberty to the petitioner to approach the Deputy Superintendent of Police, having jurisdiction over the area by way revision and if the same is submitted, the



concerned Deputy Superintendent of Police shall consider the same and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law.

4. Accordingly, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

The Inspector of Police,
Sempatty Police Station,
Sempatty, Dindigul District.

+1cc to M/S. S.VELLAICHAMY, Advocate, SR.No.60893.

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