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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 02.11.2017

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.MAHADEVAN

W.P(MD) No.20240 of 2017

and

WMP(MD) Nos.16492 and 16493 of 2017

N.Senthil

... Petitioner

vs.

1.The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests cum
Chairman,
State Level Committee,
Panagal Building,
Saidapet,
Chennai - 600 015.

2.The District Forest Officer,
Kanyakumari Division,
Nagercoil.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a writ of Certiorarified Mandamus to call for the records of the impugned order passed by the 3rd respondent vide his proceedings in Na.Ka.No.L/9095/2009 dated 20.09.2017 and quash the same as illegal in so far the petitioner is concerned and direct the respondents to issue license under the Tamil Nadu Regulation of wood based Industries Rules 2010.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.T.Ramesh Raja

For Respondents : Mr.T.S.Mohammed Mohideen
Additional Government Pleader

O R D E R

Challenge in this writ petition is to the order passed by the second respondent herein, the District Forest Officer, declining to grant license to the petitioner, citing various reasons. Against such order, there lies an appeal before the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests. Hence, the petitioner is directed to file an appeal within a period of two weeks from today along with required documents. On filing such appeal, the same be disposed of on merits and in accordance with law within a period of six weeks after giving opportunity of hearing to the



petitioner.

2. With the above direction, this petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, WMP(MD) Nos. 16492 and 16493 of 2017 are closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (P&A)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

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2. The District Forest Officer,
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Nagercoil.

+1cc to Mr. P. T. RAMESHRAJA, Advocate, SR. 84960

+1cc to M/S. Special Government Pleader, SR. 85369

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