

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 22.11.2018

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THE HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE D.KRISHNAKUMAR

W.P.No.3829 of 2011
and M.P.No.1 of 2011

P.Ramesh

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The State of Tamilnadu
Rep. by its Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Secretariat, Chennai.
 2. The District Collector,
Chennai District, Chennai.
 3. The District Collector,
Villupuram District, Villupuram.
 4. The District Collector,
Cuddalore District, Cuddalore.
 5. The District Collector,
Salem District, Salem.
 6. The District Collector,
Krishnagiri District, Krishnagiri.
 7. The District Collector,
Dharmapuri District, Dharmapuri.
 8. The District Collector,
Kancheepuram District, Kancheepuram.
 9. The District Collector,
Thiruvannamalai District, Thiruvannamalai.
 10. The Assistant Director of Geology and Mining,
Villupuram.
 11. The Assistant Director of
Geology and Mining,
Cuddalore.
- ... Respondents

Prayer: The Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, seeking for a Writ of Mandamus, forbearing the respondents from insisting the petitioner and his customers either to obtain transport permits or to get the bills issued by the Public Works Department mentioning the final place of destination of the petitioner's customers for transporting the sand from the stockyard of the petitioner at S.F.No.819-ID2, 819-2 Santhaipettai, Thirukkoilur Taluk, Villupuram District to the place of petitioner's purchase destination.

For Petitioner : No appearance

For Respondents : Mr.M.Karthikeyan, A.G.P.

O R D E R

The prayer in the writ petition is for issuance of a writ of Mandamus, forbearing the respondents from insisting the petitioner and his customers either to obtain transport permits or to get the bills issued by the Public Works Department mentioning the final place of destination of the petitioner's customers for transporting the sand from the stockyard of the petitioner at S.F.No.819-ID2, 819-2 Santhaipettai, Thirukkoilur Taluk, Villupuram District to the place of petitioner's purchase destination.

2. The Government has amended Rule 38(c) of the Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959 and regulated the transport of sand by obtaining permission from the authority concerned. Rule 38(c) of the said Rules has been challenged before this Court in a batch of writ petitions in W.P.No.14180 of 2011, ETC. IN THE CASE OF M.PALANISAMY VS. THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU wherein this Court upheld the amended Rule 38(c) of the Tamil Nadu Minor Minerals Concession Rules 1959 and dismissed the writ petitions.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner fairly submitted that the writ petition has become infructuous.

4. In view of the above, writ petition stands dismissed as infructuous. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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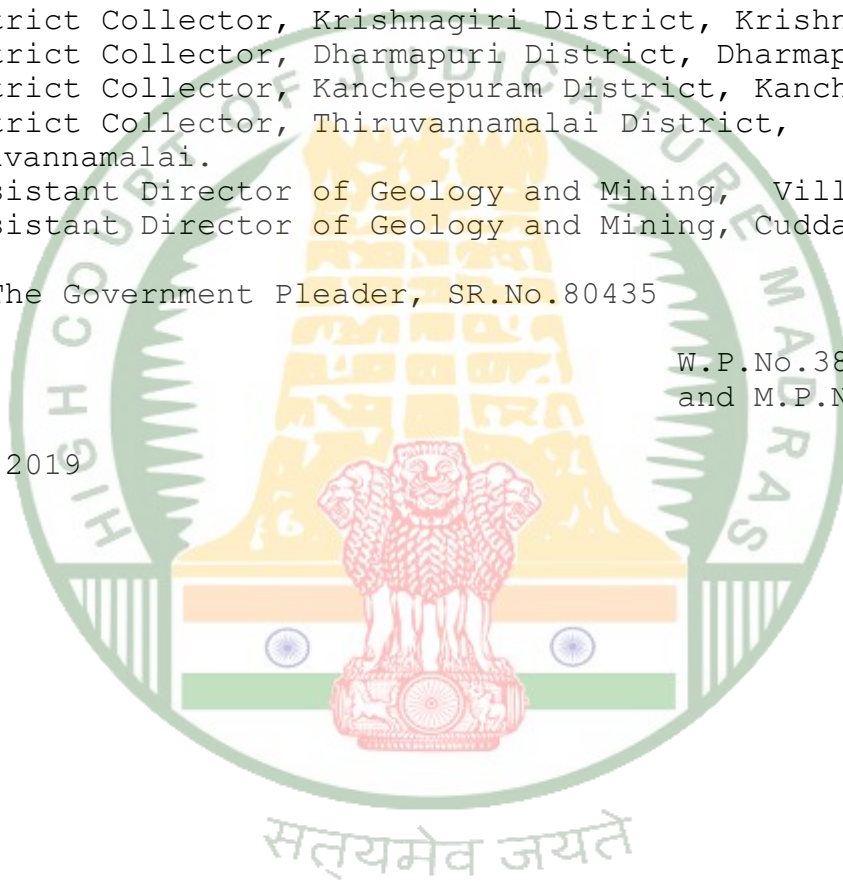
To

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