

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 15.03.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.RAVICHANDRABAABU

Writ Petition No.23294 of 2017

and

W.M.P.No.24390 of 2017

P.Sinkaran

.... Petitioner

Vs.

1. Tamil Nadu Water Supply and Drainage Board,
rep by its Managing Director,
Kamarajar Salai,
Chennai - 5

2. The Executive Engineer,
Tamil Nadu Water Supply and Drainage Board,

RWS Division,
Nagarcoil.

...Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus to direct the respondents to forthwith take action to issue work order being the successful bidder, towards the outsourcing for operation and maintenance of CWSS to 79 coastal habitations, 17 Town and 19 wayside villages in Kanyakumari District for the year 2017-18, based on the representation dated 21.07.2017.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Selvaraj

For Respondents : Mr.R.Ganesh babu

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This writ petition is filed for a mandamus directing the respondents to forthwith issue work order to the petitioner, being the successful bidder in respect of the subject matter contract.

2. After notice, this matter is taken up for further hearing. The respondents filed a counter affidavit and also the typed set of papers wherein it is seen that already an order dated 11.07.2017 was passed by the Superintendent Engineer, TWAD Board, Tirunelveli - Kanyakumri Circle, rejecting the petitioner's tender as invalid.

3. When such being the factual position, it is for the petitioner to work out his remedy by challenging the said order in a manner known to law. Consequently, this prayer, as such, cannot be maintained. Therefore, this Writ petition is disposed of without expressing any view on the merits of the matter, only by granting liberty to the petitioner to challenge the said order dated 11.07.2017 in accordance with law. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Assistant Registrar
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Sub-Assistant Registrar

To

1. The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu Water Supply and Drainage Board,
Kamarajar Salai,
Chennai - 5
2. The Executive Engineer,
Tamil Nadu Water Supply and Drainage Board,
RWS Division,
Nagarcoil.

+1CC to Mr.R.Ganesh Babu, Advocate in SR.NO. 19703

+1CC to Mr.P.Selvaraj, Advocate in SR.NO. 19533

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