

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 30.11.2018

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The Hon'ble Mr. Justice **M.M. SUNDRESH**
and
The Hon'ble Mr. Justice **R. MAHADEVAN**

Cont. Petition No.391 of 2018

P.Boobalan

.. Petitioner

vs.

1.Dr.Niranjani Mardi, I.A.S.,
Secretary to Government,
Government of Tamil Nadu,
Home (Transport III) Department,
Fort St. George, Chennai - 9.

2.M.Hasiya Mariyam,
Regional Transport Authority,
Namakkal District, Namakkal.

3.S.Duraisamy,
Regional Transport Officer,
Namakkal (South),
Namakkal, Namakkal District.

.. Respondents

Petition filed under Section 11 of Contempt of Courts
Act to punish the respondents herein for wilful
disobedience of the order dated 30.08.2016 passed by this
Court in W.P.No.40809 of 2015.

For Petitioner .. Mr.M.Palani

For Respondents .. Mr.R.Govindasamy,
Spl. Govt. Pleader

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by M.M.SUNDRESH, J.)

This contempt petition has been filed on the ground that without complying with the directions of this Court passed in W.P. No. 40809 of 2015, permits for diesel autos are being given by the third respondent.

2. Taking action for vehicular pollution is different from granting permit. Merely because permits have been given for diesel autos, it cannot be said that no action is being taken to monitor the vehicular pollution. For the aforesaid purpose, the petitioner will have to show the steps taken, which, in his view, are not adequate and not taken while addressing the issue of vehicular pollution. Thus, we do not find any wilful disobedience of the order passed by this Court. Accordingly, the contempt petition stands closed.

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ASSISTANT REGISTRAR (COMM.CASES)

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Dated at Madras this the day of 2019.

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