

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 20.12.2018

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MRS.V.K.TAHILRAMANI, CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

The HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.DURAI SWAMY

W.P. No.22271 of 2018 and

W.M.P.No.26102 of 2018

1 Dhanalakshmi
2 Abarna
3 Arun @ Arunachalam

... Petitioners

vs.

1 The District Collector
Villupuram
Villupuram District - 605 602

2 The District Revenue Officer
Collectorate Office, Villupuram
Villupuram District - 605 602

3 The Thasildar
Villupuram Taluk, Villupuram
Villupuram District - 605 602

4 The Commissioner
Villupuram Municipality, Villupuram
Villupuram District - 605 602

5 The Joint Commissioner
Hindu Religious & Charitable Endowments Department
Collectorate Complex, Villupuram
Villupuram District - 605 602

6 The Assistant Commissioner
Hindu Religious Endowment Department
Collectorate Complex, Villupuram
Villupuram District 605 602

7 The General Manager (T) & Project Director
National Highways Authority of India
[Ministry of Road Transport & Highways]
O/o.The Project Director, P.I.U
No.26, 1st Floor, VGP Nagar West
Vazhudhareddy Post
Villupuram 605 401

8 The Divisional Engineer C & M
Highways Department, Villupuram
Villupuram District - 605 602

9 The Assistant Divisional Engineer
Highways, NABARD & Rural Roads
Highways Department, Villupuram
Villupuram District - 605 602

10 D.Mohan

... Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issue of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 9 not to permit any encroachment on the National Highways Road / State Highways Road (Villupuram to Chennai National / State Highways Road) bearing Town Survey No.3, Ward No.A, Block No.37, Villupuram Town in Villupuram District and consequently direct them to stop the ongoing construction of Arulmigu Muthu Mariamman Temple by the 10th respondent.

For Petitioners : Mr.S.Udhayakumar

For Respondents : Mr.V.Jayaprakash Narayanan
Govt. Pleader (i/c) - for R1 to R3, R8 & R9

Mr.P.Srinivas, Standing Counsel-for R4

Mr.M.Maharaja,
Special Govt. Pleader - for R5 & R6

Mrs.S.R.Sumathy - for R7

Mr.P.Dinesh Kumar - for R10

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(Order of the Court was made by The Hon'ble Chief Justice)

This Writ Petition has been filed by the petitioner seeking a writ of mandamus directing the respondent Nos. 1 to 9 not to permit any encroachment on the National Highways Road/State Highways Road (Villupuram to Chennai National/State Highways Road) bearing Town Survey No.3, Ward No.A, Block No.37, Villupuram Town in Villupuram District.

2.Respondent No.8, i.e., The Divisional Engineer C & M, Highways Department, Villupuram has filed a Status Report in which it is stated that if any encroachments are noticed, the same will be evicted as per the guidelines of the Tamil Nadu Highways Act, 2001.

3. In view of the status report filed by the Respondent No.8, no further orders are necessary in the Writ Petition. The Writ Petition is closed. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is also closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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+1cc to Mr.D.Ravichander, Advocate, S.R.No.89198

+1cc to Mr.S.Udayakumar, Advocate, S.R.No.88865

+1cc to the Government Pleader, S.R.No.89155 &89809

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