

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
DATED : 03.09.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.MAHADEVAN

W.P.No.17034 of 2017
and WMP.No.18490 of 2017

N.Pushpalatha

.. Petitioner

Vs

- 1.The Superintendent of Engineer,
Tamil Nadu Electricity Board (TANGEDCO)
Tatabad, Coimbatore - 641 010.
- 2.The Executive Engineer,
Tamil Nadu Electricity Board (TANGEDCO),
Somanur, Coimbatore.
- 3.The Assistant Engineer,
Tamil Nadu Electricity Board (TANGEDCO),
Somanur Rural, Coimbatore.
- 4.N.Balamani

..Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to provide electricity wire connection to underground cable laid at petitioner's property situated at Ka.Sa.Pu.No.566, Kalai, measuring to an extent of 3231 sq.ft, Kaniyur Village, Suler Taluk, Coimbatore District.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Valliappan
for Mr.N.Ponraj

For Respondents : Mr.S.K.Raameshuwar
Standing Counsel for R1 to R3
Mr.M.R.Thangavel for R4

O R D E R

The petitioner has come up with the present writ petition for a mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3, to provide electricity connection to the petitioner's property situated at Ka.Sa.Pu.No.566, Kalai, Kaniyur Village, Suler Taluk, Coimbatore District.

2. Today, when the matter is taken up for consideration, the learned counsel for the petitioner as well as the learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondents 1 to 3 on

instructions submitted that the underground cable laying work had already been completed and only a small portion of work is pending. They further submitted that the fourth respondent filed a suit in O.S.No.905 of 2017 against the petitioner herein before the District Munsif Court, Suler, which was set exparte and an application to set aside the same has been filed by the writ petitioner before the District Munsif Court, Suler. The said application was also dismissed and the suit is posted for exparte evidence.

3. In view of the submission made by the learned counsel on either side, this Court, without going into the merits of the case, directs the third respondent to provide electricity connection to the petitioner's property situated at Ka.Sa.Pu.No.566, Kalai, Kaniyur Village, Suler Taluk, Coimbatore District, pending disposal of the suit in O.S.No.905 of 2017 on the file of the District Munsif, Suler.

4. The writ petition is accordingly disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS IV)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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