



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 01.03.2018

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE P.RAJAMANICKAM

W.P.(MD) No.4270 of 2018

Kannaiya

... Petitioner

-Vs-

The Inspector of Police,
Keeramangalam Police Station,
Pudukkottai District.

... Respondent

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondent to grant permission and protection for cultural event namely Adal Padal scheduled to be held on 06.03.2018 at night 09.00 to 12.00 in connection with "Kallu Pongal Festival" in Arulmigu Sri Ayyanar Thirukovil at Merpanaikadu West Village, Aranthangi Taluk, Pudukkottai District by considering the petitioner's representation dated 12.02.2018.

For Petitioner : Mr.E.Balasubramanian

For Respondent : Mr.V.Anand
Government AdvocateO R D E R

This writ petition has been filed to direct the respondent to grant permission and protection for cultural event namely Adal Padal scheduled to be held on 06.03.2018 at night 09.00 to 12.00 in connection with "Kallu Pongal Festival" in Arulmigu Sri Ayyanar Thirukovil at Merpanaikadu West Village, Aranthangi Taluk, Pudukkottai District by considering the petitioner's representation dated 12.02.2018.

2.Heard, Mr.E.Balasubramanian, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and Mr.V.Anand, learned Government Advocate, appearing for the respondent.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is one of the members of the said Village. The villagers are conducting the Aadal-Paadal every year and this year also, they have decided to conduct the Aadal-Paadal on 06.03.2018 at night 09.00 to 12.00 in connection with "Kallu Pongal Festival" in Arulmigu Sri Ayyanar Thirukovil at Merpanaikadu West Village, Aranthangi Taluk, Pudukkottai District and for that, they



have already given a representation dated 12.02.2018 to the respondent, but, so far, no order has been passed. Hence, he has filed the present writ petition.

4. The learned Government Advocate appearing for the respondent has submitted that there is a law and order problem and hence, the petitioner's representation is kept pending.

5. Considering the aforesaid submissions, the respondent is directed to consider the representation submitted by the petitioner, dated 12.02.2018 and dispose of the same at early. At the time of passing order, the respondent has to keep in mind the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the case of Church of God (Full Gospel) in India Vs. K.K.R, Majestic Colony Welfare Association and Ors, reported in 2001 - 1 - L.W. (Cr1.) 233.

6. With the aforesaid observations, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(W)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To
The Inspector of Police,
Keeramangalam Police Station,
Pudukkottai District.

+1CC to Mr.E.Balasubramaniam, Advocate, SR.No. 52253
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