



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 26.03.2018

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**THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE S.RAMATHILAGAM**

W.P.(MD) No.6372 of 2018

G.Vivek

... Petitioner

**-Vs-**

1. The Superintendent of Police,  
Sivagangai District,  
Sivagangai.

2. The Inspector of Police,  
Madhakupatti Police Station,  
Sivagangai District.

... Respondents

**Prayer:** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to grant permission and necessary police protection to perform the cultural programme (ie.,) Adal Padal Dance Programme on 09.04.2018 at 07.00 pm., to 12.00 pm., in the festival of Arulmighu Sri Muthumariamman Thirukovil at Keelakottai, Sivagangai District.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Manikandan

For Respondents : Mr.N.Shanmuga Selvam

Additional Government Pleader

**O R D E R**

This writ petition has been filed to direct the respondents to grant permission to perform the programme of "Adal Padal" on 09.04.2018 at 07.00 pm., to 12.00 pm., in the festival of Arulmighu Sri Muthumariamman Thirukovil at Keelakottai, Sivagangai District and to provide adequate police protection based on the petitioner's representation dated 19.03.2018.

2.Heard, Mr.V.Manikandan, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and Mr.N.Shanmuga Selvam, learned Additional Government Pleader, appearing for the respondents.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is the member of committee of aforesaid temple. The villagers are conducting the Adal Padal on 09.04.2018 at 07.00 pm., to 12.00 pm., in connection with aforesaid temple festival and for that, they have already given a



representation dated 19.03.2018 to the second respondent, but, sofar, no order has been passed. Hence, he has filed the present writ petition.

4.The learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents 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 second respondent is directed to consider the representation submitted by the petitioner, dated 19.03.2018 and dispose of the same at early. At the time of passing order, the second 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. (Crl.) 233.

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

Sd/-  
Assistant Registrar (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

**To**

1. The Superintendent of Police,  
Sivagangai District,  
Sivagangai.
2. The Inspector of Police,  
Madhakupatti Police Station,  
Sivagangai District.

+ 1 CC TO Mr.V.MANIKANDAN, ADVOCATE IN SR No. 57887  
+ 1 CC TO SPECIAL GOVERNMENT PLEADER IN SR No. 58465

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