



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 26.03.2018

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THE HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE S.RAMATHILAGAM

W.P.(MD) No.6518 of 2018

M.Baskaran

... Petitioner

-Vs-

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

2.The Inspector of Police,
Pattiveeranpatti Police Station,
Dindigul District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the second respondent to grant permission to conduct the "Aadal Paadal (Dance programme)" on 29.03.2018 at about night 07.00 pm., to 10.00 pm., for one day, to celebrate the festival in "Arulmigu Karuppasamy, Kaliyamman, Mariamman Thirukovil", which is situated in Sangarettikottai Village, Pattiveeranpatti, Dindigul District, and consequently to give adequate police protection to the festival.

For Petitioner : Mr.L.Prabakaran

For Respondents : Mr.V.Anand

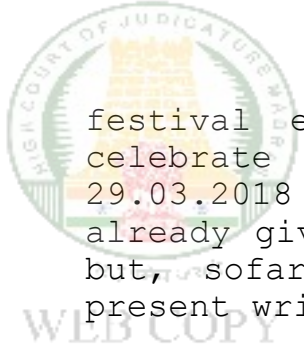
Government Advocate

O R D E R

This writ petition has been filed to direct the second respondent to grant permission to perform the programme of "Aadal Paadal (Dance programme)" on 29.03.2018 at about night 07.00 pm., to 10.00 pm., for one day, to celebrate the festival in "Arulmigu Karuppasamy, Kaliyamman, Mariamman Thirukovil" situated in Sangarettikottai Village, Pattiveeranpatti, Dindigul District, and to provide adequate police protection based on the petitioner's representation dated 22.03.2018.

2.Heard, Mr.L.Prabakaran, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and Mr.V.Anand, learned Government Advocate, appearing for the respondents.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has submitted that the villagers are celebrating the aforesaid temple



festival every year and this year also, they have decided to celebrate the temple festival and to conduct Adal Padal on 29.03.2018 at night 07.00 pm., to 10.00 pm., and for that, they have already given a representation dated 22.03.2018 to the respondents, but, sofar, no order has been passed. Hence, he has filed the present writ petition.

4.The learned Government Advocate 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 22.03.2018 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(T&P)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

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

2.The Inspector of Police,
Pattiveeranpatti Police Station,
Dindigul District.

3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

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