



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED: 19.04.2018

CORAM:
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE D.KRISHNAKUMAR

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W.P.(MD)No.8324 of 2018

S.Varadharaj

... Petitioner

vs.

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

2.The Sub Inspector of Police,
Valanaadu Police Station,
Trichy District.

... Respondents

PRAYER:Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 2nd respondent to give permission with protection to conduct the cultural function Aadal - Paadal at Keeranipatty Temple Stage in connection with the Chithirai Pongal Festival of Arulmigu Sree Vellai Vinayagar-Sree Mandhaimman Temple, Keeranipatty, Marungapuri Taluk, Trichy District, scheduled on 30.04.2018 based on the petitioner's representation dated 02.04.2018.

For Petitioner : Mr.Prasanna Rajadurai for
Mr.S.Muthalraj

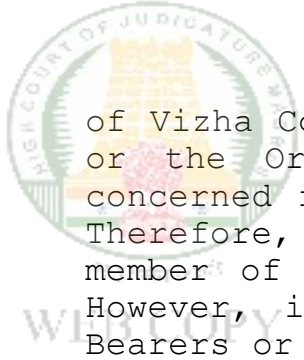
For Respondents : Mr.P.Kannidevan
Additional Government Pleader

O R D E R

This Writ Petition has been filed to direct 2nd respondent to give permission with protection to conduct the cultural function Aadal - Paadal at Keeranipatty Temple Stage in connection with the Chithirai Pongal Festival of Arulmigu Sree Vellai Vinayagar-Sree Mandhaimman Temple, Keeranipatty, Marungapuri Taluk, Trichy District, scheduled on 30.04.2018 based on the petitioner's representation dated 02.04.2018.

2.Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents.

3.The present writ petition has been filed by the petitioner as one of the active members of Keeranipatty Friends Association. This Court has entertained the writ petition in W.P.(MD).No.7911 of 2018, dated 12.04.2018, wherein, this Court has directed the members



of Vizha Committee and Office Bearers or the trustees of the temple or the Organisers of the festival to approach the authorities concerned for getting permission for conducting cultural programme. Therefore, this writ petition filed by the petitioner, being a member of Keeranipatty Friends Association cannot be entertained. However, it is open to the members of Vizha Committee, Office Bearers or the trustees of the concerned temple or the Organisers of the festival to make an application before the authorities concerned and in the event of filing such an application, the respondents shall consider the same on merits and in accordance with law.

4. With the above observation, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/
Assistant Registrar (Crl side)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

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

2. The Sub Inspector of Police,
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Trichy District.

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+1cc to M/s. Special Government Pleader, SR.No. 62771

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