



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED: 16.05.2018
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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

W.P. (MD) No.10969 of 2018

Chelladurai

... Petitioner

Vs.

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

2. The Inspector of Police,
Mukkudal Police station
Tirunelveli District.

... Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of The Constitution of India praying to issue a writ of mandamus directing the second respondent to grant permission and production to conduct the devotional programs names "Villisai and Karagatam" for the two days viz 21.05.2018 and 22.05.2018 between 10.00 p.m to 6.00 a.m in the temple premises with using loud speakers on account of the temple festival "Arulmiku Vadakuva Selvi Ammal and Uchimakali Ammal, Vadakku Ariyanayagipuram" Cheranmahadevi Taluk, Tirunelveli District in the light of the petitioner's representation dated 27.04.2018.

For Petitioner	: Mr.C.Saravanakumar
For Respondents	: Mr.A.Muthukaruppan Additional Government Pleader

O R D E R

The prayer in this writ petition is to direct the respondents to grant permission and protection for the devotional program in the petitioner's village temple festive of "Arulmiku Vadakuva Selvi Ammal and Uchimakali Ammal, Vadakku Ariyanayagipuram" Cheranmahadevi Taluk, Tirunelveli District which is to be held on 21.05.2018 and 22.05.2018.

2.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner as well as the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing on behalf of the respondents.



[M.Sakthi Vs. State rep. by the Inspector of Police, Odapatti Police Station, Odapatti, Theni District], had granted permission to the petitioner to conduct cultural programme on certain conditions. The said conditions read as follows:

"a)The event shall be conducted in an organised and peaceful manner without causing law and order problem.

b)There shall not be any obscene or vulgar scenes during the dance performance by any one of the participants or others.

c)The dance performance shall be restricted between 6.00 p.m. and 11.00 p.m.

d)If there is any violation of the above said conditions, the respondent or the duly authorised officer is entitled to take necessary action as per law and stop such performance.

e)In case if there is any discrepancy with regard to the date on which the program is to be conducted, it would be open to the respondent police to extend protection on some other day after giving due notice to the petitioner"

4.I am of the view that similar conditions may also be imposed in the present writ petition. Consequently, the Writ Petition Stands allowed. The second respondent is directed to grant permission to the writ petitioner to conduct the devotional programme at "Arulmiku Vadakuva Selvi Ammal and Uchimakali Ammal, Vadakku Ariyanayagipuram" Cheranmahadevi Taluk, Tirunelveli District on 21.05.2018 and 22.05.2018 subject to the aforesaid conditions. There shall be no order as to costs.

Sd/-

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

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

2. The Inspector of Police,
Mukkudal Police station
Tirunelveli District.

+1cc to Mr.C.Saravanakumar Advocate in SR. No.65367

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