



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 23.05.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE T.KRISHNAVALLI

W.P. (MD) No.11258 of 2018

M.A.Pandi

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Commissioner of Police,
Madurai City,
Madurai.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Karimedu Police Station,
Madurai City,
Madurai District.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents herein to give the permission and protection for conducting Aadal Paadal Cultural Programme on 27/05/2018 in connection with Arulmigu Sri Kalkatta Kaliyamman Temple, Karimedu, Madurai District based upon petitioner's representation dated 19/05/2018.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Balamurugapandi
For Respondents : Mr.S.Angappan
Government Advocate

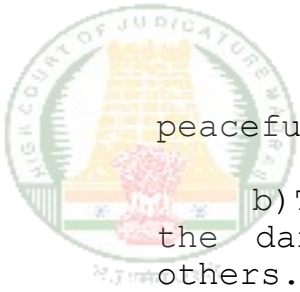
O R D E R

The prayer in this writ petition is to direct the respondents to grant permission and protection to perform Dance Programme (Aadal Padal) on 27.05.2018 in the festival event of "Arulmigu Sri Kalkatta Kaliyamman Temple, at Karimedu, Madurai District" pursuant to the representation dated 19.05.2018.

2.Mr.S.Angappan, learned Government Advocate takes notice for the respondents.

3.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner as well as the learned Government Advocate appearing on behalf of the respondents.

4.In an identical matter, a Division Bench of this Court in an order passed in W.P.(MD) No.8975 of 2017 dated 10.05.2017 [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:



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 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 respondents 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"

5. 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 cultural programme on 27.05.2018 at "Arulmigu Sri Kalkatta Kaliyamman Temple, at Karimedu, Madurai District, subject to the aforesaid conditions. There shall be no order as to costs.

Sd/-
Vacation Officer

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1. The Commissioner of Police,
Madurai City,
Madurai.

2. The Inspector of Police,
Karimedu Police Station,
Madurai City,
Madurai District.

+1CC to Mr.D.Balamuruga Pandi, Advocate in SR.No.66033,
+1CC to Special Government Pleader in SR.No.66120.

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