IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 12.02.2019

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THE HON'BLE DR.JUSTICE ANITA SUMANTH

W.P No.1347 of 2019
and
WMP. No.1498 of 2019

M.Adhi Brindhavathi
.... Petitioner

Vs.

The Commissioner,
Tindivanam Municpality,
Thindivanam,
Vilupuram District.
.... Respondent

PRAYER: PETITION filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue Writ of Certiorari by calling for the entire records pending on the file of the respondent in pursuant of the demand notice bearing tax No.043/009/00184 issued by the respondent enhancing the property tax from Rs.8,158/- per annum to Rs.29,876/- per annum from the 2nd half year of 2017-2018 for the petitioner's house situated at No.39, Rajaji Street, Tindivanam, Vilupuram District and quash the same.

For Petitioner : Mr.Vinothkumar for Mr.G.Baskar

For Respondent : Mr.P.Srinivas
Standing counsel

O R D E R

The present Writ Petition has been filed challenging a demand notice bearing tax No.043/009/00184 calling upon the petitioner to pay the property tax for the periods 2017-18 (II) and the first and second part of 2018-2019, in all amounting to Rs.44,814/-.

2. Mr.P.Srinivas, learned standing counsel, who has taken notice for the Commissioner, Thindivanam Municipality fairly admits that the impugned proceedings have been finalized without issuance of a prior show cause notice.

3. In the aforesaid circumstances, the impugned demand notice is set aside, granting liberty to the respondent to take

such steps in accordance with law as may be necessary in regard to the imposition/collection of property tax for the periods in question.

4. The Writ Petition is disposed of in the above terms. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is also closed. No costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS V)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To
The Commissioner,
Tindivanam Municpality,
Thindivanam,
Vilupuram District.

+1cc to Mr.P.Srinivas, Advocate sr.no.12914
+1cc to Mr.G.Baskar, Advocate sr.no.12922

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