

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 08.02.2019

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.RAVICHANDRABAABU

W.P.No.3154 of 2018

Mr.R.Sidhaiyan
President, Arulmigu Meenatchi Chockanathar
Cum Dhandayuthapani Thirukoil
Thirumuruga Peravai Bhakthajana Sabha
A Public Trust Register.No.21-BK-IV-2017
Door Nos.58-102, Madhiyan Kuttai
Mettur Dam-636452,
Salem District.Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Commissioner
Tamil Nadu Hindu Religious Charitable
Endowment Department,
Door No.119, Uthamar Gandhi Road
Nungambakkam,
Chennai-600034.
2. The Joint Commissioner
Tamil Nadu Hindu Religious Charitable
Endowment Department,
Salem-636001.
3. The Assistant Commissioner
Tamil Nadu Hindu Religious Charitable
Endowment Department,
Salem-636001.
4. The Executive Officer
Arulmigu Meenatchi Chockanathar
Cum Dhandayuthapani Thirukoil
Mettur Dam-636401.

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5. Thakkar

Tamil Nadu Hindu Religious Charitable
Endowment Department,
Bathrakaliamman Koil
Mecheri Post
Mettur Taluk
Salem District.

...Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus to direct the 2nd respondent to consider the representation dated 25.03.2017 and 04.01.2018 sent by the President Arulmigu Meenatchi Chockanathar Cum Dhandayuthapani Thirukoil Thirumuruga Peravai Bhakthajana Sabha A Public Trust Register.No.21-BK-IV-2017 having office at Door Nos.58-102, Madhiyan Kuttai Mettur Dam-636452 for the allotment of renovation work of Murugar Sannidhi and any other renovation works of Arulmigu Meenatchi Chockanathar Cum Dhandayuthapani Thirukoil, Mettur Dam as exhibited in the notice board of the Temple Complex within the time frame as stipulated by the Hon'ble Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Sekar

For Respondents: Mr.M.Maharaja
Special Government Pleader

O R D E R

The petitioner seeks for a mandamus directing the 2nd respondent to consider the representation dated 25.03.2017 and 04.01.2018 sent by the President Arulmigu Meenatchi Chockanathar Cum Dhandayuthapani Thirukoil Thirumuruga Peravai Bhakthajana Sabha A Public Trust Register.No.21-BK-IV-2017 having office at Door Nos.58-102, Madhiyan Kuttai Mettur Dam-636452 for the allotment of renovation work of Murugar Sannidhi and any other renovation works of Arulmigu Meenatchi Chockanathar Cum Dhandayuthapani Thirukoil, Mettur Dam as exhibited in the notice board of the Temple Complex.

2. The grievance of the petitioner before this Court is that the petitioner made the representations dated 25.03.2017 and 04.01.2018, seeking for allotment to renovate the Murugar Sannidhi and any other renovation works of Arulmigu Meenatchi Chockanathar Cum Dhandayuthapani Thirukoil, Mettur Dam and the same has not been considered by the respondents so far.

3. This Court, at this stage, is not expressing any view on the merits of the claim made by the petitioner, as it is for the second respondent to consider and decide the same on merits and in accordance with law. Accordingly, this writ petition is

disposed of, only by directing the second respondent to consider the representations of the petitioner dated 25.03.2017 and 04.01.2018 and pass orders on the same on merits and in accordance with law. Such exercise shall be done by the second respondent within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

s/d-
Assistant Registrar(CS-III)

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

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