

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated: **08.07.2019**

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.SUNDAR

CONT.P.No.1985 of 2018

E.Thangaraj

..Petitioner

Vs.

1.Mr.Ponnaiah

District Collector of Kancheepuram
District Collectorate Complex
Kancheepuram

2.Mr.Ravi

Special Tahsildar (LA)
MMRD Scheme
Inner Ring Road
Chromepet
Chennai - 44

.. Respondents

This Contempt petition is filed under Section 11 of Contempt Court Act, 1971, to punish the respondents for their willful disobedience of the order dated 22.02.2017 passed in W.P.No.10677 of 2012.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Venkkatasamy

For Respondents : Mr.A.Kumar
Additional Advocate General
Asst. by Mr.Sri Sakthi Manikandan
Government Advocate

ORDER

It is submitted by learned Additional Advocate General Mr.A.Kumar that common order dated 22.02.2017 made in W.P.Nos.9254 to 9257, 10677, 10832, 11412 and 11413 of 2012 has since been complied (to be noted, counsel for contempt

petitioner admits the factual position that order has since been complied) and expresses regret for not adhering to the time frame. This is articulated in Paragraph 5 of the affidavit dated 10.04.2019, which reads as follows:

'5.I humbly submit that due to administrative reasons and due to election duty, we could not comply with the orders in time. The non-compliance of the order of this Hon'ble Court is neither wilful nor wanton. I tender my unconditional apology for the delay in complying the order and further I assure that the order will be complied within two weeks.'

2. Apology tendered is accepted and this Contempt petition is closed recording the undisputed factual position that order has since been complied.

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ASSISTANT REGISTRAR (COMM.CASES)

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Dated at Madras this the day of 2019.

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