



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 08.04.2019

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P.(MD)No.2636 of 2018 and
W.M.P.(MD)Nos.2823 & 2824 of 2018

S.Sairajan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector,
Thanjavur District.

2. The Member Secretary(Incharge),
Town & Country Planning Department,
Kumbakonam, Thanjavur.

3. P.Palanichamy

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents herein to remove the seal fixed by the second respondent herein in the flour mill of the petitioner in Door No.17, Samu Nagar, Annal Agraharam Village, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Jegannathan,
for M/s.Veera Associates.

For R-1 & R-2 : Mr.K.Mu.Muthu,
Additional Government Pleader.

For R-3 : Mr.S.Chellapandian

O R D E R

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2. The petitioner was running a flour mill in Annal Agraharam Village, Kumbakonam Taluk. The said mill was locked and sealed by the local body. Questioning the same, he filed an appeal before the second respondent. The appeal is pending for quite a some time. The petitioner wants de-sealing of the premises.

3. I am of the view that the issue can be given a quietus, if the second respondent disposes of the appeal itself on merits and in accordance with law. Therefore, the second respondent is directed to dispose of the petitioner's appeal on merits and in accordance with law within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



4. This Writ petition stands disposed of, accordingly. No costs. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous petitions are closed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS-)

To

1. The District Collector,
Thanjavur District.
2. The Member Secretary(Incharge),
Town & Country Planning Department,
Kumbakonam, Thanjavur.

+1cc to Special Government Pleader, SR.No.60098
+1cc to Mr.C.Jegannathan, Advocate, SR.No.59927
+1cc to Mr.S.Chellapandian, Advocate, SR.No.59874

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