



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 03.04.2019

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **G.R.SWAMINATHAN**

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W.P. (MD) No. 7958 of 2019
and
W.M.P (MD) .No. 6286 of 2019

Chidambaramoorthy
Vice President,
Parent Teachers' Association,
Panchayat Union Middle School,
Avanathankottai Post,
Aranthangi Taluk, Pudukottai District.

... Petitioner

Vs

- 1.The District Collector,
Pudukottai District.
- 2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Aranthangi,
Pudukottai District.
- 3.The Chief Education Officer,
Pudukottai District.
- 4.The Assistant Education Officer,
Aranthangi,
Pudukottai District.
- 5.The Headmaster,
Panchayat Union Middle School,
Avanathankottai,
Aranthangi Taluk,
Pudukottai District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to forbear the fifth respondent to conduct the School Annual Day, 2019 either on 04.04.2019 or any other day without consulting and participation of the Parent Teachers Association of the School.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Suriya Narayanan
For Respondents : Mr.S.Srimathy
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

2. The writ petitioner represents the Parent Teachers' Association of the fifth respondent School. The petitioner's contention is that the fifth respondent should not conduct the Annual Day without associating the writ petitioner's organisation.

3. I am of the view that there is no statutory basis for making such a demand. However, I must observe that the School Head Master must have a cordial relationship with the office bearers of the Parent Teachers' Association. Any Annual Day without participation of the parents will not be a celebration at all. But, these are matters that are left to the individuals concerned. No mandamus can be issued as sought for.

4. With these observations, the Writ Petition is dismissed. No costs. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (W)

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Sub Assistant Registrar (CS)

To

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+1 CC to M/s.SPL GP (SR-59127[F] dated 04/04/2019)

+1 CC to M/s.R.SURIYANARAYANAN, Advocate (SR-59150[F] dated 05/04/2019)

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