

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 20.08.2020

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.M.SUNDRESH
and
THE HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE R.HEMALATHA

W.P.No.11133 of 2020

A.V.Krushnarajan

.. Petitioner

Vs

1.The Chief Secretary,
State of Tamil Nadu,
Department of Municipal Administration,
Fort St. George, Chennai.

2.The Member Secretary,
Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority,
Gandhi Irvin Salai, Egmore, Chennai.

3.The Commissioner,
Greater Chennai Corporation,
Rippon Buildings, Chennai.

4.The chief Administrative Officer,
Market Management Committee,
Koyambedu Wholesale Market Complex,
Koyambedu, Chennai - 107.

... Respondents

Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to allot any other suitable place for fruit vending in Chennai so as to accommodate all the remaining licensed fruit vendors until Covid-19 situation subsides or in the alternative direct the respondents to introduce allotment of fruit shops in Madhavaram Bus Depot on rotation basis so as to provide opportunity to all licensed vendors in fruit vending business.

For Petitioner .. Mr.N.Suresh

For Respondents .. Ms.R.J.Radhika, G.A. For RR1 & 4
Mr.P.S.Ganesh for R2
Mr.R.Gopinath for R3

ORDER
(Order of the Court was made by M.M.SUNDRESH, J.)

Ms.R.J.Radhika, learned Government Advocate takes notice for respondents 1 and 4. Mr.P.S.Ganesh, learned Standing Counsel for CMDA takes notice for the 2nd respondent. Mr.R.Gopinath, learned Standing Counsel for Corporation takes notice for the 3rd respondent.

2.Though a larger prayer has been sought for, the learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that it is suffice if the representation of the petitioner dated 01.07.2020 is directed to be considered by the 4th respondent.

3.Considering the above submission, we direct the 4th respondent to consider the representation made by the petitioner dated 01.07.2020 and dispose of the same within a period of three weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. The writ petition stands disposed of accordingly. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

- 1.The Chief Secretary,
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+1cc to Mr.N.Suresh, Advocate, SR. 27318

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SR (CO)
RV (07/09/2020)