

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 19.11.2020

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE PUSHPA SATHYANARAYANA

W.P.No.14928 of 2019
(Heard Through VC)

A.Ranganathan

..Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Chief Engineer,
Public Works Department,
Chepauk, Chennai 600 005.
2. The Executive Engineer,
PWD/WRO,
Cuddalore - 607 001.
3. The National Highways Department,
Divisional Engineer,
Highways Department,
Cuddalore - 607 001.
4. The District Collector,
Cuddalore, Cuddalore District.
5. The Special Tahsildar,
Cuddalore,
Cuddalore District

..Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents herein to dispose of the representation preferred by the petitioner dated 16.05.2019 within a time frame.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Kingston Jerold

For Respondents : Mr.V.Shanmugasundar
Spl.Govt.Pleader

ORDER

The Writ Petition is filed seeking a mandamus to direct the first respondent to dispose of the representation of the petitioner dated 16.05.2019 within a time frame.

2. The petitioner has sought for consideration of re-aligning the foot over bridge, as the proposed alignment is blocking access to his property. He has also furnished a sketch explaining the same. It appears that there is atleast 11 feet gap from his land to the proposed foot over bridge.

3. Mr.V.Shanmugasundar, learned Special Government Pleader, upon notice, has filed a counter affidavit through the second respondent, stating that the construction of the foot over bridge was commenced as early as on 16.02.2019 and 90% of the work was completed even as early in the month of July 2019, except pavement, painting works, etc., and the same has also been completed now.

4. As the erection of the foot over bridge was already completed, the Writ Petition has automatically become infructuous. Accordingly, the Writ Petition is dismissed as infructuous. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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