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W.P.(MD)No.9169 of 2009 and

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 01.10.2020

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P.(MD)No.9169 of 2009 and

M.P.(MD)No.2 of 2009 and

W.M.P.(MD)No.21409 of 2018

1. Ganapathi Narayanasamy
2. R.Muthuraja
3. R.Ramesh
4. N.Naguleswara Raj
Rep. by Power of Attorney
N.Hariharan

... Petitioners

Vs.

1. The Commissioner,
Madurai Corporation,
Annamaligai,
Thallakulam, Madurai.

2. AR.Chidambaram

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, forbearing the first respondent herein from demanding the petitioner for payment of property tax including arrears of property tax from the petitioners except in accordance with rules in force with relating to Door No.70-A, West Tower Street, Madurai, under the Assessment No.65412 that belongs to the second respondent and consequently direct the first respondent to initiate appropriate action against the second respondent for arrears and payment of property tax.

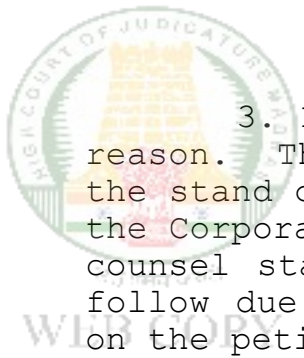
For Petitioners	: Mr.S.Srinivasa Raghavan
For R-1	: Mr.T.S.Mohamed Mohidheen
For R-2	: Mr.G.Aravindan

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O R D E R

The prayer in this writ petition is that the first respondent should follow due process of law while levying property tax on the petition mentioned property.

2. When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners stated that the first petitioner has passed away due to Covid-19.



3. I am afraid that this case need not be kept alive for this reason. The case also should be given a decent burial by accepting the stand of the petitioners. All that the petitioners want is that the Corporation must follow due process of law. The learned Standing counsel states that Madurai Corporation will definitely adhere to follow due process of law, while levying or assessing property tax on the petition mentioned property.

4. Recording the stand taken by the learned Standing counsel, this writ petition stands disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

Sd/-

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To:

The Commissioner,
Madurai Corporation,
Annamaligai,
Thallakulam, Madurai.

+1 CC to M/s.T.S. MOHAMED MOHIDHEEN, Advocate (SR-18935[F] dated 05/10/2020)

+1 CC to M/s.S. SRINIVASA RAGHAVAN, Advocate (SR-19208[F] dated 06/10/2020)

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