

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 29.04.2021

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THE HONOURABLE DR. JUSTICE ANITA SUMANTH

W.P. No.10848 of 2021

G.M.Dhatchinamoorthy

...Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Commissioner,
Hindu Religious & Charitable Endowments Department,
No.119, Uthamar Gandhi Salai,
Nungambakkam, Chennai - 600 034.
2. A/m. Mariamman Temple,
rep. by its Fit Person,
S.Ganapathypalayam,
Gobichettypalaaym Taluk, Erode District.
Also the Executive Officer, A/m Subramaniasamy Temple,
Pachamalai, Gobichettypalaaym Taluk, Erode District.

...Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue Writ of Mandamus directing the 1st respondent to conduct due enquiry and dispose off the representation of the petitioner dated 12.2.2021 on merits within the time period specified by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Govarthanan
For Respondents : Mr.R.Venkatesh
Government Advocate

O R D E R

Mr.R.Venkatesh, learned Government Advocate accepts notice for the respondents and has been served with a copy of the Writ Petition and its annexures and is ready to proceed with the matter finally, even at the stage of admission. Hence, by consent of both sides, this Writ Petition is disposed finally, even at this stage.

2. The limited prayer in this Writ Petition is for a mandamus directing the first respondent to conduct due enquiry and dispose the representation of the petitioner, dated 12.2.2021. At first blush, I would think that this Writ

Petition is pre-mature, since the petitioner has rushed to Court within two months of filing the representation.

3. However, Mr.Venkatesh would confirm that the representation is, indeed, pending and that the same would be disposed after hearing the petitioner as well as any other parties who may be appropriate in this regard within a period of six (6) weeks from today.

4. This is recorded. The hearing will be conducted, either virtually or by way of physical hearing, as may be mutually convenient to the parties and bearing in mind the Standard Operating Procedures that are in force at the relevant point of time.

5. This Writ Petition is disposed. No costs.

s/d-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

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1. The Commissioner,
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