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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATE: 15.09.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.SUNDAR

W.P.NO.19464 OF 2021

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W.M.P.NO.20755 OF 2021

The Egmore Philanthropic Trust
Rep. by its Founder Chairman
Mr.Hujan Babu
New No.9, Old No.5, Dr.T.V.Naidu Road
Chetpet, Chennai - 600 031

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The State of Tamil Nadu rep.
by Additional Chief Secretary
Department of Tourism,
Culture and Religious
Endowments Department
Secretariat, Fort St.George
Chennai - 600 009
2. The Principal Secretary and Commissioner
Hindu Religious ad Charitable Endowments Department
No.119, Uthamar Gandhi Road
Nungambakkam, Chennai - 600 034
3. The Joint Commissioner, Chennai Region Circle -1
Hindu Religious ad Charitable Endowments Department
No.127, Yadhava Street
Padi, Chennai- 600 050
4. The Assistant Commissioner
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments Department
No.127, Yadhava Street
Padi, Chennai - 600 050
5. The Executive Officer
Arulmighu Srinivasa Perumal Temple
No.6, LNP Kovil Street
Egmore, Chennai - 600 008

... Respondents



Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the 1st and 2nd respondents to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 10.08.2021 against the order dated 04.08.2021 passed by the fifth respondent cancelling the renovation work undertaken by the petitioner Trust, of the Bajana Madam of Sri Srinivasa Perumal Temple at No.1, LNP Kovil Street, Egmore, Chennai - 600 008 unilaterally.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Ramamoorthi

For Respondents : Mr.NRR.Arun Natarajan
Government Advocate

ORDER

After some arguments, Mr.M.Ramamoorthi, learned counsel for writ petitioner sought leave of this Court to withdraw the captioned writ petition, but made a fervent prayer that the rights of the writ petitioner to assail a communication/ order dated 16.08.2021 made by the fifth respondent may please be preserved. To be noted, this communication is post cancellation order of the fifth respondent (dated 04.08.2021) and representation from the writ petitioner. To be noted, petitioner's representation has been referred to in this 16.08.2021 communication / order of fifth respondent.

2. It is also to be noted that 04.08.2021 cancellation order and writ petitioner's representation constitute the prayer theme in captioned writ petition. Therefore, writ petitioner's aforementioned request to preserve his rights acceded to.

3. In the light of the narrative thus far, request of the writ petitioner is acceded to. Captioned writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn albeit preserving the rights of the writ petitioner in the aforesaid manner. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, connected WMPs are closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS IX)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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