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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 26.11.2021

CORAM:

The HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE KRISHNAN RAMASAMY

W.P.No.31239 of 2017
and
W.M.P.No.34292 of 2017

M.Muthu

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. Telecom Regulatory Authority of India,
represented by its Chairman,
Mahanagar Door Shanchar Bhawan, Jawaharlal Nehru Marg,
Old Minto Road, Near Dr.Zakir Husain College,
New Delhi - 110 002.
2. Government of India
represented by its Secretary,
Ministry of Information and Broadcasting,
Room No.655, 5th Floor A Wing, Shastri Bhawan,
Dr.Rajendra Prasad Road, New Delhi - 110001.
3. Tamilnadu Arasu Cable TV Corporation Limited,
represented by its Managing Director, Dugar Towers,
No.34/123, 6th Floor, Marshalls Road, Egmore, Chennai-8.
4. The General Manager (Admn.),
Tamil Nadu Arasu Cable TV Corporation Limited,
Egmore, Chennai - 8.
5. Special Tahsildar/Deputy Manager,
Tamil Nadu Arasu Cable TV Corporation Ltd.,
Collectorate, Salem.
6. Inspector of Police,
Vallapady Police Station, Vallapady,
Salem District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: This petition has been filed under Section 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the third respondent herein to fulfill its obligation under Regulation 5 of the Telecommunication (Broadcasting and Cable) Services Interconnection (Addressable Systems) Regulations, 2017 not to interfere with the right of the petitioner herein to receive encrypted signal for Television Channels from any other



registered Distributor/MSO for transmission through his Cable TV net work for his subscribers.

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For Petitioner : Mr.V.R.Rajasekaran

For R2 : Mr.S.S.Pajaniradja

For R6 : Mr.V.Nanmaran
Additional Government Pleader

O R D E R

The learned Counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the prayer in this Writ Petition has already become infructuous.

2. In view of the above submission made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, this Writ Petition is dismissed as infructuous. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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+1cc to the Government Pleader, S.R.No.62238

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