

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 24.03.2021

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR.SANJIB BANERJEE, CHIEF JUSTICE
AND
THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SENTHILKUMAR RAMAMOORTHY

W.P.NOS.35658, 35659 & 35661 OF 2019

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Y.Sikkandar

No.537/1059, S.V.P. Nagar

P.H.Road, Arumbakkam

Chennai 600 106.

... Petitioner in all W.Ps.

Vs.

1. The Secretary to Government of Tamil Nadu
Law Department, Fort St. George
Chennai 600 009.

2. The District Collector
Office of the District Collectorate
Chennai District
Chennai.

3. The Commissioner
Greater Chennai Corporation
Rippon Buildings
Chennai 600 002.

... Respondents 1-3 in all W.Ps.

4. The Zonal Officer
Zonal Office, Koyambedu
Chennai Corporation, Zone 10
Chennai.

.. Respondent-4 in
WP No.35658/19

5. The Zonal Officer
Zonal Office, Aminjikarai
Chennai Corporation, Zone 8
Chennai.

.. Respondent-4 in WP Nos.35659
& 35661/19

Prayer:

Petitions under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for a writ of Declaration to declare the Act No.40 of 2018 viz. The Tamil Nadu Municipal Laws (Fifth Amendment Act), 2018 promulgated by the first respondent vide notification dated 16.7.2018 published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary issue No.252, as void, as discriminatory, ultra vires and unconstitutional.

For Petitioner : Mr.Manoj Kumar
For Mr.R.Vijaya Kumar
For Respondents : Mr.G.K.Muthukumar
Special Govt. Pleader
for respondents 1 & 2
Mr.Raja Shrinivas
for respondents 3 & 4

ORDER
(Made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

It is the uniform submission on behalf of the appearing parties, including the petitioner herein, that the subject matter of these petitions have been dealt with in a judgment rendered on March 11, 2020 in a batch of writ petitions that was taken up for hearing together.

2. It appears that these three petitions, though contemporaneously filed, were accidentally not included in the batch.

3. Both the Chennai Municipal Corporation and the official respondents are represented.

4. W.P.Nos.35658, 35659 and 35661 of 2019 are disposed of in terms of the judgment and order dated March 11, 2020 rendered on a batch of petitions headed by W.P.No.6913 of 2020 (Chennai Hoardings Association v. The Secretary to the Government of Tamil Nadu).

5. The same order will hold good in these three petitions. There will be no order as to costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS VII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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+1cc to the Government Pleader, S.R.No.19916

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