



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 17.02.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.M.SUNDRESH
AND
THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.ANANTHI

W.P. (MD) No.2932 of 2021

M.Ganesan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector,
Virudhunagar District,
Virudhunagar.
2. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Sattur,
Virudhunagar District.
3. The Tahsildar,
Sattur Taluk,
Virudhunagar District.
4. The Revenue Inspector,
Nenmeni,
Virudhunagar District.
5. The Village Administrative Officer,
Sirukulam Village,
Sattur, Virudhunagar District.
6. M.Marimuthu

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 5 to take action against the 6th respondent for cutting down the standing trees, including Teak and Coconut tree in the Government Poramboke land in Survey No.335, situated at K.Mettupatti - Sirukulam Road, Sattur Taluk, Virudhunagar District.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.P.Naveenkumar

For Respondents : Mr.R.Murugaraj,
Government Advocate
for Respondents 1 to 5



ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by **M.M.SUNDRESH, J.**)

The petitioner has come forward to file this writ petition on the premise that the private respondent is in the process of cutting the trees, standing in the Government land.

2.The instructions produced by the third respondent / Tahsildar would indicate that an inspection was conducted, which revealed that some trees were cut and extracted. However, it cannot be ascertained whether they have been removed from the Government land or not.

3.Since such an inspection has already been made and the complicity of the private respondent has not been proved, we are not inclined to grant the relief as sought for by the petitioner.

4.In fine, this writ petition stands closed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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