



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 01.03.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **M.M.SUNDRESH**

AND

THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE **S.ANANTHI**

W.P. (MD) No. 3752 of 2021

K.Duraiaraj

: Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Ramanathapuram District.

2.The Thasildar,
Mudukulathur,
Ramanathapuram District.

3.The Assistant Engineer,
Public Works Department,
Paramakudi,
Ramanathapuram District.

: Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 18.01.2021 and to remove the illegal obstructions made in the Thethu in Valanadu Kanmaai, Mudukulathur Taluk, Ramanathapuram District and to ensure free flow of excess water for the said Kanmaai.

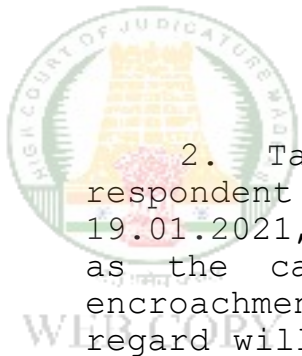
For Petitioner : Mr.K.Sudalaiyandi

For Respondents : Mr.K.Mu.Muthu
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

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

The petitioner made a complaint to the respondents, *inter alia*, alleging that there are wide spread encroachments in the Valanadu Kanmaai, Mudukulathur Taluk, Ramanathapuram District. On receipt of the same, it was accordingly sent by the first respondent to the second respondent to look into the same. Seeking further action on the same, the present petition is filed.



2. Taking note of the communication sent by the first respondent to the second respondent in Na.Ka.No.R5/440/2021, dated 19.01.2021, we call upon the said authority or the third respondent, as the case maybe, to take appropriate action to remove the encroachment, if any and restore the water body. The needful in this regard will have to be done within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

3. With the above direction, this writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar (CS)

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+1 CC to M/s.K.SUDALAIYANDI, Advocate (SR-7979[F] dated 01/03/2021)

+1 CC to M/s.SPL GP (SR-8159[F] dated 02/03/2021)

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