



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 12.03.2021

CORAM:

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

AND

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

W.P. (MD) No. 5441 of 2021

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A.M.Sundaravel

: Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Principal Secretary,
Highways Department,
Government of Tamil Nadu,
Chennai - 600 009.

2.The Chief Engineer,
Highways Department,
Construction and Maintenance,
Chennai - 600 025.

3.The Superintendent Engineer,
Highways Department,
Construction and Maintenance,
Tirunelveli - 627 002.

4.The District Collector,
Tirunelveli District,
Tirunelveli.

5.The Commissioner,
Ambasamudram Municipality,
Ambasamudram,
Tirunelveli District.

6.The Executive Officer,
Ambasamudram Municipality,
Ambasamudram,
Tirunelveli District.

: Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 3 to 6 to take appropriate steps and to remove the Arch of Ambasamudram situated at Ambasamudram to Tirunelveli Main Road, near to the turning place of Ambasamudram Bus Stand by considering the petitioner's representation dated 12.03.2020.

For Petitioner : Mr.A.M.Sundaravel
(Party-In-Person)

For Respondents : Mr.K.P.Krishnadoss,
Special Government Pleader



ORDER

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

The petitioner, who appears as party-in-person, seeks a writ of mandamus directing the respondents 3 to 6 to take appropriate action to remove the Arch of Ambasamudram situated at Ambasamudram to Tirunelveli Main Road, in pursuant to his representation dated 12.03.2020.

2. The learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondents submitted that the Arch has been in existence from the year 1945 onwards and it is not in public hindrance, as stated by the petitioner.

3. We have also perused the photographs of the Arch. It is of vintage origin. The road goes through the Arch. The petitioner neither has a right nor such a writ petition can be entertained by this Court. After giving a representation on 12.03.2020, the petitioner seeks removal of a Arch, which is in existence from the year 1945 onwards.

4. Thus, this writ petition stands dismissed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CSII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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+1 CC to M/s. A.M. SUNDARAVEL, Advocate (SR-11026[F] dated 15/03/2021)

+1 CC to M/s. SPL GP (SR-11183[F] dated 15/03/2021)

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