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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 14.03.2022

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M. DURAISWAMY
AND

THE HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE T.V. THAMILSELVI

W.P. No.5613 of 2022

R. Raja

.. Petitioner

v.

The Regional Officer,
National Highways Authorities of India,
(Ministry of Road Transport & Highways),
SRI Tower, 3rd Floor,
DP - 34, (SP) Industrial Estate,
Guindy, Chennai - 32.

.. Respondent

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issue of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent not to collect the toll charges at Paranur Toll Plaza at Chengalpet Talk and District until completion of the Palar river renovation work and consequently directing the respondent to identify the correct and better routes for motorist to reach Chennai.

For Petitioner: Mr. G. Srivenkatesh

For Respondent: Mr. Su.Srinivasan, Standing Counsel

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(Order of the Court made by M.DURAISWAMY,J.)

The petitioner has filed the above Writ Petition as a Public Interest Litigation to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent not to collect the toll charges at Paranur Toll Plaza at Chengalpet Talk and District until completion of the Palar river renovation work and consequently directing the respondent to identify the correct and better routes for motorist to reach Chennai.

2. When the Writ Petition is taken up for hearing, Mr. Su.Srinivasan, learned Standing Counsel, taking notice for



the respondent submitted that the renovation work of the Palar river is in progress and is likely to be completed in a week's time.

3. In view of the submission made by the learned Standing Counsel, we do not find any reason to give any further direction to the respondent. The submission made by the learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondent is recorded and the Writ Petition stands closed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-V)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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