



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated: 01.03.2022

Coram:

THE HONOURABLE MR.MUNISHWAR NATH BHANDARI, Chief Justice
and

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

W.P. (MD) .No.3844 of 2022

and

W.M.P. (MD) .No.3328 of 2022

Santhi, W/o.Ramesh

...Petitioner

Vs.

1. Tamil Nadu State Election Commissioner,
State Election Commission,
No.208/2, Jawaharlal Nehru Salai
(Opp. to Koyambedu Bus Terminus),
Arumbakkam,
Chennai - 600 106.

2. The District Collector,
Virudhunagar District,
Virudhunagar.

3. The Election Officer/Executive Officer,
Kariyapatti Town Panchayat,
Kariyapatti,
Virudhunagar District.

4. Nagajothi, W/o.Ramakrishnan

...Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 3, to recounting the votes of the 8th ward of Kariyapatti Town Panchayat Election, Virudhunagar District, which was held on 19.02.2022.

For petitioner	: Mr.R.Murugappan
For Respondent-1	: Mr.S.Sivashanmugam, Standing Counsel

For Respondents 2 and 3 : Mr.R.Shunmugasundaram,
Advocate General
assisted by Mr.P.Muthukumar,
State Government Pleader



ORDER

(The Order of the Court was made by The Hon'ble Chief Justice)

WEB COPY The learned counsel for the petitioner prays and is granted permission to withdraw the Writ petition with liberty to take the remedy of Election Petition to challenge the election. The Writ Petition is dismissed as withdrawn with the said liberty. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed. No costs.

s/d-
Assistant Registrar

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

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To

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+1 CC to The Government Pleader sr 13784.

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