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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 17.10.2022

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THE HON'BLE MR.T.RAJA, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE S.SOUNTHAR

Writ Petition No.26688 of 2022

V.S.K.Tamilselvam

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector
Tiruppur District
Office of the Collectorate Tiruppur
Tiruppur 641 604.
2. The District Revenue Officer
Tiruppur District
Tiruppur 641 604.
3. The Revenue Divisional Officer
Dharapuram 638 656.
4. The Asst. Director
Mines and Geology
Collectorate Office
Tiruppur District
Tiruppur 641 604.
5. The Tahsildar
Kangayam Taluk
Kangayam 638 701.



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6. The Tahsildar
Avinashi Taluk, Avinashi 641 654.

7. The Tahsildar
Madathukulam Taluk, Madathukulam 642 113.

8. The Tahsildar
Dharapuram 638 656. .. Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for a writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to take action on the petitioner's representation dated 23.02.2021 and 27.04.2022.

For the Petitioner : Mr.R.Karthikeyan
For Mr.E.Sampath Kumar

For the Respondents : Mrs.R.Anitha
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

(Made by the Hon'ble Acting Chief Justice)

The writ petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondents to take action on the representations of the petitioner dated 23.02.2021 and 27.04.2022.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner has filed this writ petition only to protect the public at large and to reduce illegal mining in the District, as most of the quarries are



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carrying out mining activities without proper permit and licences and since no action was taken on the representations of the petitioner, the petitioner is before this Court.

3. A perusal of the affidavit and the typed set of papers does not throw any light as to where the illegal quarrying is taking place and who is illegally mining the quarry and also the period during which it is taking place. Therefore, when learned counsel for the petitioner was directed to furnish details, he is unable to furnish the same, except to request this Court to peruse the representations of the petitioner.

5. In view of the above and the fact that this writ petition has been filed with ulterior motive, we are not inclined to entertain this writ petition and accordingly, this writ petition is dismissed. There will be no order as to costs. Consequently, WMP No.25749 of 2022 is also dismissed.

(T.R., ACJ.) (S.S., J.)
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