



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 25.07.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

**W.P(MD)No.5179 of 2021
and
WMP(MD)No.4154 of 2021**

P.Suresh

... Petitioner

v.

1.The Government of Tamil Nadu,
Rep.by its Secretary to Government,
Municipal Administration & Water Supply
Department,
Fort St.George, Chennai – 9.

2.The Commissioner of Municipal Administration,
No.78, Urban Administrative Building,
MRC Nagar, Santhome High Road,
Raja Annamalai Puram,
Chennai – 600 028.

3.The District Collector,
(Disaster Management Department),
Dindigul District.

4.The Commissioner,
Kodaikanal Municipality,
Dindigul District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to call for the records relating to the impugned notice in Na.Ka.No.7221/2013/A3 dated



25.02.2021 issued by the Fourth Respondent demanding collection of license fee for the period 01.01.2021 to 31.12.2021 for conducting the 16 lodging rooms at Kavi Thiagarajar salai, Kodaikanal and quash the same and consequently direct the fourth respondent to receive a Sum of Rs. 3,63,750/- being the license fee amount for 01.01.2021 to 31.12.2021 period after deducting the 190 days lockdown period that is from 16.03.2020 till 25.09.2020 on account of Covil - 19 pandemic.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.S.Suresh Kumar

For Respondents : Mr.M.Prakash,
Additional Government Pleader for R1 to R3

Mr.L.P.Mauriya for R4

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2.The petitioner was granted lease to run a lodging house. The issue on hand pertains to the liability of the petitioner to pay the second year lease amount. The said amount has since been paid. Therefore, no further orders are necessary in this writ petition. The writ petition stands disposed of. No costs. Connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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