



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 05.05.2022

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE T.RAJA

and

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

W.P. (MD) No.9334 of 2022

Ameer Batcha

... Petitioner

-vs-

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Madurai District, Madurai.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Kottampatti Police Station,
Madurai District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to grant permission to conduct Alaganatchiamman Temple Chithirai Thiruvizha and Manjuvirattu to be held on 11.05.2022 at Nellukundupatti, Vanjinagaram Village, Karunkalakudi Post, Melur Taluk, Madurai District based on the petitioner's representation dated 23.04.2022.

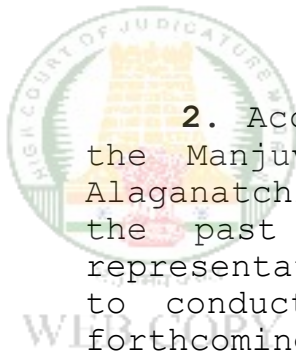
For Petitioner : Mr.K.G.Arun Kumar

For Respondents : Mr.D.Gandhiraj
Special Government Pleader

O R D E R

[Order of the Court was made by T.RAJA, J.]

The prayer in this writ petition is to direct the respondents to grant permission to conduct Alaganatchiamman Temple Chithirai Thiruvizha and Manjuvirattu scheduled to be held on 11.05.2022 at Nellukundupatti, Vanjinagaram Village, Karunkalakudi Post, Melur Taluk, Madurai District, based on the petitioner's representation dated 23.04.2022.



2. According to the petitioner, he is one of the Organizers of the Manjuvirattu Committee and Manjuvirattu in connection with Alaganatchiamman Temple has been conducted by the village people for the past several years. Therefore, the petitioner gave a representation on 23.04.2022 to the respondents seeking permission to conduct Manjuvirattu for this year. Since no response is forthcoming from the respondents, the petitioner has filed this writ petition.

3. Heard the learned counsel on either side.

4. As the Manjuvirattu has been conducted by the village people for the past several years, which has not been objected by the respondents, the respondent-police is directed to grant permission with usual conditions to the petitioner to conduct Manjuvirattu scheduled to be held on 11.05.2022 as expeditiously as possible.

5. With the above direction, the writ petition is allowed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar
(Vacation Officer)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To:

- 1.The Superintendent of Police,
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- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Kottampatti Police Station,
Madurai District.
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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