



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED:14.06.2022

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE V.SIVAGNANAM

W.P(MD)No.11564 of 2022

Chandrasekar,

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Deputy Superintendent Of Police,
Office of the Superintendent of Police,
Thiruvaiyaru,
Thanjavur District.

2. The Inspector of Police,
Thiruvaiyaru Police Station,
Thanjavur District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 and 2 to grant necessary permission and provide adequate police protection for conducting the Aadal Padal event on 18.06.2022 from 7.00 pm to 11.00 pm as part of annual temple festival of Arulmigu Sri Kaliyamman Kovil located at Thirukandiyur, Thiruvaiyaru Taluk, Thanjavur District on the basis of petitioner's representation, dated 08.06.2022.

For Petitioner : M/s.Indrachithu.T,

For Respondents : Mr.M.Sakthi Kumar,

Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

O R D E R

This writ petitioner filed this Writ Petition seeking for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 1 and 2 to grant necessary permission and provide adequate police protection for conducting the Aadal Padal event on 18.06.2022 from 7.00 pm to 11.00 pm as part of annual temple festival of Arulmigu Sri Kaliyamman Kovil located at Thirukandiyur, Thiruvaiyaru Taluk, Thanjavur District on the basis of petitioner's representation, dated 08.06.2022.

2.The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) takes notice for the respondents. By consent, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.



3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that temple festival for the temple, by name, Arulmigu Sri Kaliyamman Kovil located at Thirukandiyur, Thiruvaiyaru Taluk, Thanjavur District is going to be held from 13.06.2022 to 19.06.2022. Subsequent to the same, in order to conduct a cultural programme on 18.06.2022, they sought permission of the police by giving a representation dated 08.06.2022. But, the respondents have not considered the said representation. Since no order was passed, the petitioner has come before this Court for the above said relief.

4.The learned Government Advocate (criminal side) appearing for the respondent police would submit that the respondents have received the representation of the petitioner and the same is pending for consideration.

5. I have considered the submission of the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (criminal side) appearing for the respondent police.

6. It is brought to the notice of this Court that the Director General of Police, Tamil Nadu, Chennai had issued a circular memorandum in Rc.007301/Genl.I (1)/2019, dated 09.04.2019, along with instructions to the Inspectors of Police throughout Tamil Nadu for consideration of applications seeking permission for conducting cultural programme. Therefore, in view of the detailed circular and guidelines issued by the Director General of Police, the respondent police is hereby directed to consider the representation of the petitioner, dated 08.06.2022 and pass suitable orders based on the above said circular.

7. With the above direction, this writ petition is disposed of. No cost.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

1. The Deputy Superintendent Of Police,
Office of the Superintendent of Police,
Thiruvaiyaru,
Thanjavur District.



2. The Inspector of Police,
Thiruvaiyaru Police Station,
Thanjavur District.

3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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