



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **17.06.2022**

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE V.SIVAGNANAM

W.P(MD)No.12309 of 2022

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: Petitioner

Vs

1. The Deputy Superintendent Of Police,
Seranmahadevi, Tirunelveli District.

2. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Mukkudal Police Station,
Tirunelveli 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 herein to give permission for conducting Musical Orchestra and Kathamba Nigalchi from 03.07.2022 to 13.07.2022 in connection with Aani Prunthiruvizha Celebration of Mukkudal Muthumalai Amman Kovil Festival situated at Mukkudal, Tirunelveli District, based upon petitioner's representation, dated 08.06.2022.

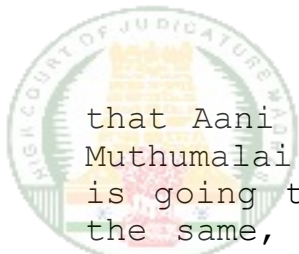
For Petitioner : M/s. Anandakumar N,
For Respondents : Mr.M.Sakthi Kumar,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

O R D E R

This writ petitioner filed this Writ Petition seeking for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents herein to give permission for conducting Musical Orchestra and Kathamba Nigalchi from 03.07.2022 to 13.07.2022 in connection with Aani Prunthiruvizha in Mukkudal Muthumalai Amman Kovil situated at Mukkudal, Tirunelveli District, based upon 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
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that Aani Prunthiruvizha Festival for the temple, by name, Mukkudal Muthumalai Amman Kovil situated at Mukkudal, Tirunelveli District is going to be held from 03.07.2022 to 13.07.2022. Subsequent to the same, in order to conduct a cultural programmes i.e., Musical Orchestra and Kathamba Nigalchi, they sought permission of the police by giving a representation dated 08.06.2022. But, the first respondent has 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 first respondent has 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 (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To:

1. The Deputy Superintendent Of Police,
Seranmahadevi, Tirunelveli District.

2. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Mukkudal Police Station,
Tirunelveli District.



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

+1 CC to M/s.N. ANANDAKUMAR, Advocate (SR-26378[F] dated 17/06/2022

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