



W.P.(MD)No.19269 of 2022

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 24.08.2022

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.N.PRAKASH

AND

THE HONOURABLE Mrs. JUSTICE R.HEMALATHA

**W.P.(MD)No.19269 of 2022 and
WMP(MD) Nos.14057 and 14058 of 2022**

Sathish Babu

: Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The State of Tamil Nadu
Rep. by its Principal Secretary to Government
Municipal Administration and Water Supply MC-2 Department
Secretariat, Fort St. George,
Rajaji Salai, Chennai.
- 2.The State of Kerala
Rep. by its Principal Secretary
Water Resources Department
Government Secretariat
Thiruvananthapuram.
- 3.The Principal Secretary to Government cum
Agricultural Production Commissioner,
Department of Agriculture,
Secretariat, Rajaji Salai
Fort St. George,
Chennai 600 009.
- 4.The State Ground and Surface Water resources Data Center,



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Represented by its Chief Engineer,
Tharamani, Chennai.

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Ezhilagam Annexe Building,
Vith Floor, Chepauk,
Chennai 600 005.

6.The District Collector
Theni District
Collectorate,
Theni 625531

7.The Chief Engineer,
Water Resource Department
Madurai Region,
Public Works Department
Tallakulam
Madurai 625 002

8.The Executive Engineer,
Public Works department (WRO)
Periyar Vaigai Basin Division,
Tallakulam
Madurai District

9.The Commissioner
Madurai City Municipal Corporation,
Anna Maligai
Madurai.

: Respondents

PRAYER: Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus to call for the records pertaining to the impugned order in G.O.Ms.No.51 Municipal Administration and Water Supply MC-2 Department dated 23.05.2018 on



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the file of the respondent No.1 and quash the same as illegal and consequently forbear the respondents 1 to 9 to lay pipelines and transport water from Mullaiperiyar Lower Camp to Madurai District under the implementation of Water Supply Improvement Scheme.

For Petitioner	: Mr.T.Lajapathi Roy
For Respondents	: Mr.P.Thilakkumar
	Government Pleader
	for R1, R3 to R8
	Mr.K.K.Kannan for R9

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by P.N.PRAKASH, J.)

Since in the writ petition, the petitioner has impleaded the State of Kerala, as the second respondent, it prima facie appears to us that this matter may have inter-state ramifications and therefore, we are not inclined to entertain this writ petition. Accordingly, this writ petition stands dismissed. No costs. Consequently connected Miscellaneous Petitions are closed.

[P.N.P., J.] & [R.H., J.]
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Internet : Yes
RR



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