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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 28.11.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE V.BHAVANI SUBBAROYAN

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... Petitioner

vs.

- 1.The Chairman,
Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Limited,
Anna Salai,
Chennai 600 002.
- 2.The District Collector,
Collectorate,
Korampallam,
Thoothukudi.
- 3.The President and Chief Executive Officer,
Udangudi Power Corporation Limited,
TNEB Complex,
No.144, Anna Salai,
Chennai 600 002.
- 4.The Superintending Engineer,
General Construction Circle,
Tantransco, K.Pudur,
Madurai 625 007.



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5. The Superintending Engineer /Civil,
Udangudi High Density Power Project -I,
Udangudi, Pin 628 206,
Thoothukudi District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 4 to consider the petitioner's representation, dated 19.09.2022 and further restrain the fourth respondent from installing power tower and laying High Volt Power line in petitioner's agriculture land in Thoothukudi Villlge, Mandu Thandu Village S.No.797 and 798 as which is the only source the petitioner income.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Rajiv Rufus

For R1, R3 to R5 : Mr.S.Deenadhayalan

For R2 : Mr.D.Sadiq Raja
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 4 to consider the petitioner's representation, dated 19.09.2022 and further restrain the fourth



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respondent from installing power tower and laying High Volt Power line in the petitioner's agriculture land in Thoothukudi Village, Mandu Thandu Village, S.No.797 and 798.

2. The grievance of the petitioner is that the employees of the Electricity Board are trying to erect tower in the petitioner's land in S.Nos.797 and 798 situated at Thoothukudi Village, Mandu Thandu Village. Hence, she has made a representation to the respondents on 19.09.2022. Since the respondents have not considered the same, the present writ petition has been filed.

3. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner, learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the second respondent and the learned Standing counsel appearing for the respondents 1, 3 and 5.

4. Considering the above facts, this Court, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the matter, directs the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation, dated 19.09.2022 and pass appropriate



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orders, on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

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Internet: Yes/No

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