



W.P.No.3996 of 2023

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS**

**DATED: 22.02.2023**

**CORAM:**

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.CHANDRASEKHARAN**

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V.P.Venkatesan

... Petitioner

**Vs.**

The Inspector of Police,  
Virudampattu Police Station,  
Virudampattu, Katpadi Taluk,  
Vellore District.

... Respondent

**PRAYER:** Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, pleased to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 27.01.2023 and grant permission to the petitioner in order to conduct the Cultural programme (Adal Padal Nigalchi) which is schedule to be held on 23.02.2023 at 6 PM to 11 PM in Sri Mayanakolai festival situated at Ambethkar Street, Virudampattu Post, Katpadi Taluk, Vellore District – 632 006.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Jagadeesan

For Respondent : Mr.S.Santhosh  
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)



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**ORDER**

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The Writ Petition has been filed to direct the respondent to give permission and police protection to conduct the Cultural programme (Adal Padal Nigalchi) in the event of Sri Mayanakolai Festival at Ambethkar Street, Virudampattu Post, Katpadi Taluk, Vellore District – 632 006 on 23.02.2023 between 6 PM to 11 PM by considering the petitioner's representation dated 27.01.2023.

2.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that in order to conduct the cultural programme in the event of Sri Mayanakolai Festival at Ambethkar Street, Virudampattu Post, Katpadi Taluk, Vellore District – 632 006 on 23.02.2023 between 6 PM to 11 PM, the petitioner has sent a representation dated 27.01.2023 to the respondent. But, the same has not been considered so far. Hence, the present writ petition has been filed.

3.The learned Government Advocate (Crl.side) appearing for the respondent submitted that the respondent police has received the representation of the petitioner and the same is pending for consideration.



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

5. 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 27.01.2023 and pass suitable orders based on the above said circular.

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

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To

- 1.The Inspector of Police,  
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Vellore District.
- 2.The Public Prosecutor,  
High Court of Madras.

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