



W.P.No.5266 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 20.06.2023

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR.SANJAY V.GANGAPURWALA, CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE P.D.AUDIKESSAVALU

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R.Selvakumar

.. Petitioner

Vs

- 1 The District Collector
Office of the District Collector
Coimbatore - 641 018.
- 2 The Sub Collector
Office of the Sub Collector
Pollachi.
- 3 The Tahsildar
Office of the Tahsildar
Aanamalai - 642 104.
- 4 The Assistant Divisional Engineer
Highways Department
(Construction and Maintenance)
Vaalparai Sub Division
Minparai Post, Attagatti - 642 101.
- 5 The Executive officer
Kottur Town Panchayat, Kottur
Malaiyandipatinam, Pollachi - 642 114.

.. Respondents



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Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 21.11.2022 expeditiously and to forthwith remove all illegal and unauthorised encroachments made by the residents on either side of the Angalakurichi Road from Kottur Town Panchayat Office Junction to the Kumaran Kattam Junction within the Kottur Malaiyandipattinam Village, and consequently direct the restoration of the Public Bus Transport facility along the said road through the Kottur Malaiyandipattinam Village.

For the Petitioner : Mr.E.J.Ayyappan

For the Respondents : Mr.J.Ravindran
Additional Advocate General
assisted by
Mr.A.Selvendran
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

(Order of the court was made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

We have heard Mr.E.J.Ayyappan, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.J.Ravindran, learned Additional Advocate General, assisted by Mr.A.Selvendran, learned Special Government Pleader for the respondents.

2. The Tahsildar, Anaimalai Taluk, informs that the road in question is under the control of the Highway Department and the



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waste water drainage work is being done by Kottur Town Panchayat (respondent No.5). A joint field survey with the officers of the Rural Development Department, Revenue Department and Highway Department will be carried out by the land surveyor and if there is encroachment, action will be taken to remove the encroachment by conducting a field inspection by the respective Department.

3. We would only add that the process shall be expedited and steps be taken in accordance with law.

4. With the above observation, the writ petition stands disposed. There will be no order as to costs. Consequently, W.M.P.No.5296 of 2023 is closed.

(S.V.G., C.J.)

(P.D.A., J.)

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