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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 08.11.2023

CORAM :

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

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

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M/s.A.R.Starch Products  
Rep. by its Partner  
5/12a Palaniappan Koil Road  
Pallipatty, Belukurichi-post  
Namakkal District – 637 402.

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Chief Executive Officer  
Food Safety and Standard Authority of India  
FDA Bhavan, Kotla Road  
New Delhi – 110 002.

2. The Commissioner of Food Safety  
5<sup>th</sup> Floor of DMS Office Building  
359, Anna Salai, DMS Campus  
Teynampet, Chennai – 600 006.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents to issue a positive clarification to permit the use of Sodium Hypochlorite, Calcium Hypochlorite or Liquid Chlorine (gas) and the use of dry Tapioca starch both manufactured locally or imported in the manufacture of Sago pursuant to the representations dated 25.09.2017 and 11.12.2017 made to the respondents.



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For the Petitioner : No Appearance

For the Respondents : No Appearance for R1

Mr.K.Karthik Jagannath  
for R2

ORDER

(Made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

On the last date, the matter was adjourned as last chance.

2. Learned Government Advocate submits that the notification dated 24.10.2017 amended the Food Safety and Standards (Food Products Standards and Food Additives) Regulations, 2011 in relation to Tapioca Sago.

3. Today, none appears for the petitioner.



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4. In view of the above, the writ petition stands dismissed for non-prosecution. There will be no order as to costs.

(S.V.G., CJ.)

(D.B.C., J.)

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Index : Yes/No  
Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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