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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 02.08.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

W.P No.12217 of 2023

K.Subathra

... Petitioner

.Vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police
Salem District.

2.The Tahsildar
Thalavasal, Salem District.

3.The Inspector of Police
Thalavasal Police Station
Thalavasal, Attur Taluk
Salem District.

4.Vasuki

5.Sekar

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 and 3 to provide with police protection to lay underground pipeline in the SF.No.633/3 of Manivizhunthan Village, Thalaivasal Taluk, Salem District to take water from the agricultural well existing at S.F.No. 630 /3B to the agricultural land existing at S.F. No.637/3 of Manivizhunthan Village, Thalaivasal Taluk, Salem District based on the proceedings of the 2nd respondent in Na.Ka. No. 3630 / 2022 / A3 dated 24.03.2023 and by considering the representation of the Petitioner herein dated 11.04.2023.



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For Petitioner : Mr.R.Nalliyappan

For Respondents : Mr.A.Gopinath
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)
for R1 to R3

Mr.A.Rajakumar for R4

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed seeking for a direction to the respondent police to provide police protection to lay the underground pipeline in the subject property based on the representation made by the petitioner on 11.4.2023.

2.The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) on instructions submitted that the representation/complaint given by the petitioner on 11.4.2023, is pending enquiry.

3.The petitioner is directed to co-operate with the Police for enquiry and the respondent Police shall conduct the enquiry keeping in mind the judgment in ***Lalitha Kumari vs. Government of Uttar Pradesh*** reported in ***2013 (6) CTC 353***. On completion of the enquiry, the respondent Police shall take a decision regarding the further course of action. This process shall be completed by the respondent Police within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.



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02.08.2023

Internet: Yes
Index : Yes/No
Neutral Citation Case: Yes/No
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To

1. The Superintendent of Police
Salem District.
2. The Tahsildar
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3. The Inspector of Police
Thalavasal Police Station
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Salem District.
4. Public Prosecutor
High Court, Madras.



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