



W.P.No.35647 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 21.12.2023

CORAM :

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

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

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R.Gopalamoorthy

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Chief Secretary
Government of Puducherry
Secretariat, Beach Road
Puducherry – 605 001.
2. The Excise Commissioner
Excise Department
O/o. District Collector
Puducherry.
3. The Deputy Commissioner (Excise)
Department of Excise
Puducherry – 605 001.
4. M.Muthukumarasamy

.. Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to consider the representation dated 25.11.2023 given by the petitioner to not to give permission for the fourth respondent to open liquor shop at Puvanakara Street, Thillai Nagar, Mudaliyarpeth, Puducherry.



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For the Petitioner : Mr.J.Rajmohan

For the Respondents : Mr.S.Ravee Kumar
Government Pleader (Puducherry)
for R1 to R3

ORDER

(Made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

Heard Mr.J.Rajmohan, learned counsel for the petitioner and
Mr.S.Ravee Kumar, learned Government Pleader (Puducherry) for
respondents 1 to 3.

2. The petitioner submits that respondent 4 is trying to shift his liquor shop. The place where it is shifted is not conducive and he cannot be permitted to open the liquor shop at Puvanakara Street, Thillai Nagar, Mudaliyarpuram, Puducherry.

3. The petitioner has already raised his objections before the authority. The authority may consider the said objections, on its own merits and in accordance with law, while taking a decision with regard to the shifting of the concerned shop.



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4. In the light of that, the writ petition stands disposed of.

There shall 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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