



W.P.(MD)No.251 of 2023

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 05.01.2023

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE K.MURALI SHANKAR

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M/s.Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd,
[Formerly M/s.Jio Digital Fibre (P) Ltd]
having its Circle Office at
A1 Tower, 8th Floor,
89-90,Dr Radhakrishnan Salai,
Mylapore, Chennai - 600 004,
rep. by its authorized Signatory,
K.Kumaresan.

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police,
District Police Office, Kanyakumari.

2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Colachel Sub Division,
Colachel.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Karungal Police Station,
Kanyakumari District.

4.The District Collector,
District Collector Office,
Kanyakumari.

... Respondents



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PRAYER : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 herein to provide the effective police protection to the petitioner Company to erect the cell phone transmission tower at Kanyakumari District, Vilavancode Taluk, Mathicode Panchayathu Limit, New Survey No.849/19A, Present Sub Division Survey No.849/12A2.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.N.Karthikeyan,
For Respondents : Mr.M.Muthu Manikkam,
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)
for R1 to R3.

: Mr.J.K.Jayaseelan,
Government Advocate (Civil Side)
for R4.

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 herein to provide the effective police protection to the petitioner Company to erect the cell phone transmission tower at Kanyakumari District, Vilavancode Taluk, Mathicode Panchayathu Limit, New Survey No.849/19A, Present Sub Division Survey No.849/12A2.



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2. The learned Government Advocate (Civil Side) appearing for the fourth respondent would submit that the fourth respondent/District Collector has already issued necessary permission vide proceedings, dated 16.08.2021. He would further submit that the petitioner's representation, dated 18.10.2022, is pending before the third respondent.

3. In view of the above submission made by the learned Government Advocate (Civil Side), the third respondent is directed to consider the petitioner's representation and pass orders in accordance with law within a period of one week from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

4. With the above direction, this Writ Petition stands disposed of.

No costs.

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NCC :Yes/No
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Kanyakumari.
- 5.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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