



W.P.(MD)No.2691 of 2021

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 28.11.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

W.P.(MD)No.2691 of 2021

and

W.M.P.(MD).No.2218 of 2021

V.S.Moorthy

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Thanjavur District,
Thanjavur.

2.The Executive Officer,
Town Panchayat,
Peravoorani Taluk,
Thanjavur District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for the records of the second respondent in Na.Ka.No.15/2021/A1 dated 18.01.2021 and quash the same as illegal arbitrary and unenforceable consequently direct the second respondent to extend the period of contract to collect license fee in weekly and daily market in Peravoorani Town Panchayat by six months from 01.04.2021 and 30.09.2021.



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For Petitioner : Mr.S.Mohamed Suhail
For Mr.R.Venkateshwar

For R-1 : Mr.A.K.Manikkam
Special Government Pleader

For R-2 : Mr.R.Murugaraj
Government Advocate

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed challenging the order dated 18.01.2021 and for a consequential direction to the second respondent to extend the period of contract to collect the license fee in the weekly and daily market in Peravoorani Town Panchayat by six months from 01.04.2021 and 30.09.2021.

2. In the considered view of this Court, the relief as sought for in this Writ Petition may not survive at this length of time, since the period itself is over. However, the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submitted that the petitioner will seek for refund of the license fee already paid.

3. If the petitioner makes any representation in this regard to the second respondent, the same will be dealt with in line with G.O.(D).No.337 Municipal



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Administration and Water Supply (MA.IV) Department dated 16.06.2023 and decision will be taken within a period of four (4) weeks from the date of receipt of a fresh representation from the petitioner.

4. This Writ Petition is disposed of accordingly. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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NCC:yes/no
Index:yes/no
Internet:yes/no
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