

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 24.03.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MS.JUSTICE P.T.ASHA

WP(MD)No.6298/2023 &  
WMP(MD)No.5983/2023

T.Karthikeyan

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The State of Tamil Nadu,  
Rep. through the Principal Secretary,  
Secretariat, St. George Fort,  
Chennai - 9.
- 2.The District Collector,  
Theni District.
- 3.The Managing Director,  
Tamil Nadu State Marketing Corporation,  
(TASMAC)  
CMDA Tower-II, IV Floor,  
Gandhi Irwin Bridge Road,  
Egmore, Chennai - 600 008.
- 4.The District Manager,  
Tamil Nadu State Marketing Corporation,  
(TASMAC), Theni District.
- 5.The Thasildar,  
Andipatti Taluk,  
Theni District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a writ of mandamus restraining the respondents 3 to 5 from setting up a wine shop in agricultural lands bearing S.No.170/3B situated in Kanniappapillaipatti Village, Andipatti Taluk, Theni District.

For Petitioner : Mr.SA.Ajmalkhan

For Respondents : Mr.J.John Rajadurai,  
Government Advocate  
for R1, R2 and R5

Mr.S.Sivanesan,  
Standing Counsel for R3 and R4

### ORDER

The above writ petition has been filed by the petitioner to restrain the respondents 3 to 5 from setting up a wine shop in agricultural lands bearing S.No.170/3B situated in Kanniappapillaipatti Village, Andipatti Taluk, Theni District.

2. The leaned Standing Counsel for the respondents 3 and 4 on instructions would submit that in deference to the orders passed by the District Collector, Theni District in Na.Ka.No.401/2022/B1 dated

14.10.2022, the respondents 3 and 4 have dropped the idea of installing TASMAC shop in the petitioner's land in S.No.170/3B at Kanniappapillaipatti Village, Andipatti Taluk, Theni District. He would further submit that they have no intention to put up any shop in the place of the petitioner.

3. Recording the above submission, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

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NCC:Yes/No  
Index:Yes/No  
Speaking/Non-speaking order

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