



W.P.(MD)No.7078 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 12.04.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

W.P(MD)No.7078 of 2023

and

W.M.P.(MD).7722 of 2023

P.Velmurugan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Secretary to the Government,
Public Works Department,
Secretariat,
Fort St.George,
Chennai.

2.The District Collector,
O/o.District Collectorate,
Collector Office Road,
Alwarpuram,
Madurai.

3.The Assistant Engineer,
O/o.Public Works Office,
Chinna Chokkikulam,
Tallakulam,
Madurai.

4.Inbasekar

5.Pugalendhi

... Respondents



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Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to restore the temple namely Shri Mahamuni Vishwanathar Temple in Panaiyur-Kalambal Village, Madurai to its original position by following “Hymns Rule” consequential take appropriate action as against the respondents 4 & 5 for their act.

For Petitioner :Mr.Niranjan S.Kumar

For Respondents :Mr.K.Balasubramani
Special Government Pleader for R1 to R3

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2. The petitioner mentioned temple has already been removed. The petitioner seeks restoration. Admittedly, the structure is on a water body. Therefore, the relief of restoration cannot be granted. Accordingly, this writ petition stands closed. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

[G.R.S., J.] [B.P., J.]
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