



W.P(MD)No.18824 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 13.10.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P(MD)No.18824 of 2023

and

W.M.P.(MD)Nos.15623 & 15625 of 2023

Sivakumar

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector cum Inspector of Panchayat,
District Collectorate Office,
Trichy District,
Trichy.

2.The Project Director,
District Rural Development,
Trichy District,
Trichy.

3.The Block Development Officer (Village Panchayat),
Panchayat Union Office,
Thuraiyur,
Trichy District.

4.The Block Development Officer (Block Panchayat)
Panchayat Union Office,
Thuraiyur,
Trichy District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to call for the records pertaining to the Impugned Tender Notification issued by the 3rd



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respondent in his proceedings in Na.Ka.Thi6/4610/2022 dated 30.06.2023 and quash the same as illegal and in consequently direct the 1st respondent to constitute a block level committee as per the guidelines annexed in the G.O(MS) No.81 of Rural Development and Panchayat raj (S.G.S.1) Department dated 13.06.2023 and to select the works under Anaithu Grama Anna Marutmalarchi Thittam (AGAMT).

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Ananda Kumar

For Respondents : Mr.R.Baskaran
Additional Advocate General
assisted by Mr.M.Siddharthan
Additional Government Pleader for R1 to R4

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Additional Advocate General assisted by the learned Additional Government Pleader for the respondents.

2. The petitioner challenges the impugned tender notification solely on the ground that it is not in conformity with G.O.Ms.No.81, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (S.G.S.1) Department, dated 13.06.2023. The petitioner is Keerambur Panchayat Union Councillor. According to him, he must be a part of the Block Level Committee. The petitioner's grievance is that in respect of the petition mentioned tender works, he was not involved.



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3. The learned Additional Advocate General points out that G.O.Ms.No. 81, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (S.G.S.1) Department was issued on 13.06.2023. The petition mentioned tender works had been identified much earlier. The respondents state that in respect of future works, the petitioner will be fully associated and he will be very much a member of the Block Level Committee. This undertaking given by the respondents will relate back to 13.06.2023.

4. The Writ Petition is disposed of accordingly. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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