



W.P(MD)No.25060 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 17.10.2023

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.ILANGO VAN

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K.Veeramuthu

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Thiruppathur,
Sivagangai District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Ulagampatti Police Station,
Sivagangai District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to grant permission to conduct Cock Fight on 19.10.2023 and 20.10.2023 in pursuance of the Navarathri Festival conducted in Karuppar Kovil, Velampatti, Varpattu Post, Singampunari Taluk, Sivagangai District by considering the petitioners representation dated 05.10.2023.

For Petitioner : Mr. K.G.Arunkumar

For Respondents : Mr.R.M.Anbunithi
Additional Public Prosecutor



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ORDER

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The writ petitioner filed this Writ Petition seeking for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to grant permission to conduct Cock Fight on 19.10.2023 and 20.10.2023 in pursuance of the Navarathri Festival conducted in Karuppar Kovil, Velampatti, Varpattu Post, Singampunari Taluk, Sivagangai District by considering the petitioners representation dated 05.10.2023.

2. Mr. R.M.Anbunithi, learned Additional Public Prosecutor takes notice for the respondents. By consent, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

3. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents would submit that they have been seeking permission to conduct the cock fight event on 19.10.2023 and 20.10.2023. He would further submit that they may be permitted to conduct the event on day time.

4. I have considered the submission of the learned counsel appearing for the writ petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents.



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5. It is brought to the notice of this Court that the Director General of Police, Tamil Nadu, Chennai had issued a circular memorandum in Rc.007301/Genl.I (1)/2019 dated 09.04.2019 along with instructions to the Inspectors of Police throughout Tamil Nadu for consideration of applications seeking permission for conducting programme. Therefore, in view of the detailed circular and guidelines issued by the Director General of Police, the writ petitioner is directed to file an undertaking affidavit incorporating the date and time of the Cock Fight tournament before the second respondent and on such filing, the second respondent is hereby directed to consider the representation of the writ petitioner dated 05.10.2023 positively and pass orders imposing necessary conditions based on the above said circular.

6. With the above directions, this Writ Petition stands disposed of.

No costs.

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- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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