



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 05.01.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

WP (MD)No.27640 of 2022

M.Shithik Ali

... Petitioner

v.

1.The District Collector,
Ramanathapuram District,
Ramanathapuram.

2.The Tahsildar,
Thiruvadanai Taluk,
Ramanathapuram District.

3.The Executive Officer,
Town Panchayat,
Thondi, Ramanathapuram District.

4.M.Mohammed

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 2 and 3 to take action against the 4th respondent under Section 218 of Tamil Nadu District Municipalities Act, 1994 to remove his dilapidated building situated in Perumal Kovil Sannathi Street, Thondi Town, Ramanathapuram District by considering the petitioner's representation dated 31.10.2022.



For Petitioner : Mr.T.Lenin Kumar
For Respondents : Mr.A.K.Manikkam,
Special Government Pleader for R1&R2
Mr.C.Satheesh
Government Advocate for R3

COMMON ORDER

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner, the learned counsel for R3 and the learned Special Government Pleader appearing for R1 and R2. The service on the fourth respondent is yet to be completed. But, it is not necessary to wait for the same.

2.The petitioner alleges that his house suffered total damage during the recent rains. He also would state that house of the fourth respondent is also in a dangerous condition. He wants the local body to take action under the District Municipalities Act, 1920. The third respondent is directed to enquire into the petitioner's representation and take action after hearing the fourth respondent. I make it clear that I have not gone into the merits of the matter. It is for the third respondent to take action as per law within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of copy of the order.



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3.This writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

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