



W.P(MD)No.28929 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 08.12.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P(MD)No.28929 of 2023

and

W.M.P.(MD)Nos.24956 & 24957 of 2023

1.A.Subramanian

2.M.Shanmuganathan

3.Subbaiah

4.Baskaran

... Petitioners

Vs.

1.The Tahsildar,
Thiruppathur Taluk,
Sivagangai District.

2.Gnanaprakash

... 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 order passed by the 1st respondent in his proceeding dated 24.11.2023 and Quash the same on the ground that the same is arbitrary, illegal and without any legal basis and consequently direct the 1st respondent to permit the petitioners to administer their family deity Senkadu Oorani Amman Temple situated in Survey Number 272/1, Thulavur Village, Thiruppathur Taluk and permit the petitioners to perform poojas as a hereditary poosari.



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For Petitioners : Mr.P.Aju Tagore

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

: Mr.V.R.Shanmuganathan for R2

ORDER

Heard both sides.

2. The petitioner questions the impugned peace committee meeting decision on the ground set out in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition.

3. I have been consistently holding that the decision taken in the Peace Committee Meeting is not amenable to legal challenge because it is not having any statutory value or force. No legal consequence can flow therefrom. If any formal proceeding is issued by the statutory authority, that can always challenge the same in the manner known to law.

4. With this clarification, the Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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