



Writ Petition No.2350 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 02.02.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

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and

W.M.P.No.2539 of 2024

1.M.Saravanan
S/o.Munisami

2.P.Sundaramoorthy
S/o.Perumal

3.M.Krishnan
S/o.Manickam

4.C.Krishnamoorthy
S/o.Chinnaraji

5.K.Venkatesan
S/o.Kannan

... Petitioners

Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Ranipet District.

2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Ranipet Division,
Ranipet District.

3.The Tahsildar,
Walaja Taluk,
Ranipet District.



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4.The Superintendent of Police,
Ranipet District.

5.The Assistant Superintendent of Police,
Arakkonam Region,
Ranipet District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to remove the idols kept unilaterally by the Vanniyar community inside the temple on 21.04.2021 and grant permission to conduct any festival in Sri Draupadi Amman Temple at Bagaveli Village, Walaja Taluk, Ranipet District until both the Yadhava and Vanniyar communities make joint representation to the second respondent for the same, based on the petitioners' representations dated 10.01.2024 and 18.01.2024 submitted to the respondents.

For Petitioners : Mr.A.Suresh Sakthi Murugan

For Respondents : Mr.A.Damodaran

Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondents to remove the idols kept unilaterally by the Vanniyar community inside the temple on 21.04.2021 and grant permission to conduct any festival in Sri Draupadi Amman Temple at Bagaveli Village, Walaja Taluk, Ranipet District until both the Yadhava and Vanniyar communities make joint representation to the second respondent for the



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same, based on the petitioners' representations dated 10.01.2024 and 18.04.2024 submitted to the respondents.

2. Heard Mr.A.Suresh Sakthi Murugan, learned counsel for petitioners and Mr.A.Damodaran, learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for respondents.

3. When the matter was taken up for hearing, the order passed by the second respondent was brought to the notice of this Court.

4. In view of the above, the relief as sought for in this writ petition cannot be granted. If the petitioner is aggrieved he has to work out his remedy in the manner known to law.

Accordingly, this Writ Petition is closed. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Speaking Order/Non-speaking Order

Index :Yes/No

Neutral citation: Yes/No

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