



W.P.No.12679 of 2019

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 23.09.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

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And

W.M.P.No.12907 of 2019

B.Vedachalam

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Government of Tamil Nadu
Rep. by its Secretary
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowment Department
Fort St.George,
Chennai – 600 009.

2.The Commissioner
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowment Department
Uthamar Gandhi Salai,
Nungambakkam,
Chennai – 600 034.

3.The Joint Commissioner
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowment Department
Uthamar Gandhi Salai,
Nungambakkam,
Chennai – 600 034.

4.A.Thanikachalam

5.A.Vinayagam

... Respondents

Prayer:

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to



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issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for the records relating to the third respondent's order vide Na.Ka.No.9019/2018/A1 dated 18.03.2019 and Na.Ka.No.9019/2019/A1 dated 05.04.2019 and quash the same consequently directing the respondents to take action against the erred Trustees and protect the Temple properties of Arulmigu Arkeeswarar Thirukoil, Pammal, Chennai – 600 075 by appointing the Executive Officer.

For Petitioner : Mr.Velmurugan Parthiban
For Respondents : Mr.K.Karthikeyan for R1 to R3
Government Advocate (HR & CE)
Mr.V.Srikanth for R4, R5

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The petitioner has filed this writ petition seeking issuance of Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for the records relating to the third respondent's order vide Na.Ka.No.9019/2018/A1 dated 18.03.2019 and Na.Ka.No.9019/2019/A1 dated 05.04.2019 and quash the same consequently directing the respondents to take action against the erred Trustees and protect the Temple properties of Arulmigu Arkeeswarar Thirukoil, Pammal, Chennai – 600 075 by appointing the Executive Officer.



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2.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that vide impugned orders, the petitioner was directed to operate the account of the Temple jointly with the fourth respondent, however, during the pendency of this writ petition, the order was cancelled on 11.06.2019 and hence, nothing survives for adjudication in this writ petition.

3.The learned Government Advocate (HR & CE) submitted that subsequently, the petitioner was removed from the post of Hereditary Trustee and Fit Person was appointed.

4.Recording the submissions made on either side, this writ petition is closed. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is also closed.

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