



WP No.31068 of 2022

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 22.03.2024

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THE HON'BLE MR.SANJAY V.GANGAPURWALA, CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

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Jiji Mathew

: Petitioner

Vs

1.The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu state Marketing Corporation Ltd.
CMDA Tower, 4th Floor, Gandhi Irwin Bridge
Egmore, Chennai

2.The District Collector
Chennai

3.The District Collector
Tiruvallur District

4.The Commissioner of Police
Greater Chennai Corporation
Vepery, Chennai

5.The District Manager / Deputy Collector
TASMAC Ltd.
No.1 Bangalore High Road
Chembarambakkam Chennai 123

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: Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Certiorari calling for the records relating to the impugned order of Proc.No.A3/1265/2022 dated 11.11.2022 passed by the 5th respondent and quash the same.

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For Petitioners : Mr.D.Ashok Kumar
For Respondents 1 & 5 : Mr.K.Balakrishna
For respondents 2 to 4 : Mr.K.Karthik Jagannath,
Government Advocate

ORDER

(Made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

We have heard Mr.D.Ashok Kumar, learned counsel for the petitioner, Mr.K.Balakrishna, learned counsel for respondents 1 and 5 and Mr.K.Karthik Jagannath, learned Government Advocate for respondents 2 to 4.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in spite of the fact that strong objections were raised, TASMAL liquor shop No.9173 was ordered to be shifted to Tiruvottiyur High Road, Thangal, Chennai-19. There are many educational and religious institutions in the nearby vicinity.

3. An aggrieved person can approach the authorities under Rule 9 of the Tamil Nadu Liquor Retail Vending (in Shops and Bars) Rules, 2003 and file an appeal. In case the petitioner approaches the authorities by way of an appeal, the authority concerned shall consider the request of the petitioner on its own merits.



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4. The writ petition stands disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, WMP Nos.30487, 32790 of 2022 are closed.

(S.V.G., CJ.)

(D.B.C., J.)

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