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W.P.No.36350 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 28.03.2024

CORAM :

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

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

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SELLAMMAL

.. Petitioner

Vs

1. THE COMMISSIONER,
METTUR MUNICIPALITY
METTUR DAM - 636401.

2. THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
METTUR DAM - 636401.

3. MADHU @ MADHESWARAN

.. Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of mandamus to direct respondents 1 and 2 to conduct an enquiry on the basis of reply submitted by the petitioner to the notice dated 09.11.2023.

For the Petitioner : Mr.R.Subramanian

For the Respondents : Mr.L.P.Maurya
for respondents 1 and 2



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: Mr.Athiban Vijay
for 3rd respondent

ORDER

(Order of the court was made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

Heard Mr.R.Subramanian, learned counsel for the petitioner;
Mr.L.P.Maurya, learned counsel for respondents 1 and 2; and
Mr.Athiban Vijay, learned counsel for the third respondent.

2. A prayer is made to conduct an inquiry on the basis of the
reply submitted by the petitioner to the notice dated 9.11.2023/
15.12.2023.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that reply is
already filed by the petitioner to the said notice.

4. Learned counsel for respondents 1 and 2 submits that there
is no acknowledgement of the reply submitted by the petitioner.

5. The petitioner may once again file a reply to the notice



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dated 9.11.2023/15.12.2023 within fifteen days from today along with all the documents on which the petitioner relies. The impugned notice shall be construed as a show cause notice. The respondent authorities shall consider the reply and documents filed by the petitioner and take a decision afresh on merits and in accordance with law.

The writ petition is disposed of accordingly. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, W.M.P.No.36333 of 2023 is closed.

(S.V.G., CJ.)

(D.B.C., J.)

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Index : Yes/No
Neutral Citation : Yes/No
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