



W.P.(MD)No.21121 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 05.09.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE MOHAMMED SHAFFIQ

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D.Suresh

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Commissioner,
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments Department,
Chennai.

2.The Assistant Commissioner II,
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments Department,
Trichy.

3.The Inspector,
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments Department,
Thiruverumbur,
Trichy.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the second respondent herein to fill up the post of Non Hereditary Trustee of Arulmighu Arasakatha Pidari Temple situated at Thiruverumbur, Trichy District by considering the proceeding in Vide A.Thi.Ka.No.13238/2024/A5 dated 25.07.2024 issued by the second respondent within the time stipulated by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.B.Jameelarasu

For Respondents : Mr.K.S.Selva Ganesan
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The present Writ Petition is filed praying for a Mandamus, directing the second respondent to fill up the post of Non Hereditary Trustee of Arulmighu Arasakatha Pidari Temple situated at Thiruverumbur, Trichy District in the light of the proceeding of the second respondent dated 25.07.2024.

2. It is submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the second respondent has issued a notification dated 15.06.2024 calling for applications from eligible persons to fill up the post of Non Hereditary Trustee for the aforementioned temple. In response to such notification, the petitioner has submitted his application within the prescribed time. Since no steps have been taken so far, the present petition is filed.

3. It is submitted by the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing on behalf of the respondents that the Assistant Commissioner would



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have to appoint the Board of Trustees from the panel of persons prepared by the District Committee constituted under Section 7-A of the Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments Act. It is further submitted by the learned Additional Government Pleader that presently there is no coram of the District Committee in terms of Section 7-A of the Act and the petitioner's application will be scrutinized and the post of non-hereditary trustee would be filled within a period of two months of constitution of District Committee in terms of Section 7-A of the Act, which is acceded to by the learned counsel for the petitioner.

4. Recording the same, this Writ Petition is closed. No costs.

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