



W.P.(MD)No.21866 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 12.09.2024

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.MURALI SHANKAR

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S.Pappu Sita Lakshmanan

...Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The District Collector,
Tirunelveli District,
Tirunelveli.
- 2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Tirunelveli, Tirunelveli District.
- 3.The Commissioner of Police,
Tirunelveli City,
Tirunelveli District.
- 4.The Assistant Commissioner of Police,
Palayamkottai Division,
Tirunelveli District.
- 5.The Inspector of Police,
Palayamkottai Police Station,
Tirunelveli District.
- 6.Manikandaperumal
- 7.Shanmugam
- 8.Muthusamy



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... Respondents

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PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents 3 to 5 herein to grant permission to the temple festival from 13.09.2024 to 23.09.2024 in connection with the temple namely “Arulmigu Hari Om Sakhi Narayana Jothipathi Dharma Thangal @ Vaikundaswamy Thathuva Thava Tharmapathi Temple, situated at Palayamkottai Town, Tirunelveli District, by considering the petitioner's representation, dated 28.08.2024.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sathyachidambaram,

For Respondents : Mr.M.Muthumanikkam,
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)
for R1 & R2.

: Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar,
Additional Public Prosecutor,
for R3 to R5.

ORDER

The Writ Petition has been filed, invoking Article 226 of the Constitution of India, seeking orders, to direct the respondents 3 to 5 herein to grant permission to the temple festival from 13.09.2024 to 23.09.2024 in connection with the temple namely “Arulmigu Hari Om



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Sakhi Narayana Jothipathi Dharma Thangal @ Vaikundaswamy Thathuva Thava Tharmapathi Temple, situated at Palayamkottai Town, Tirunelveli District, by considering the petitioner's representation, dated 28.08.2024.

2. Mr.M.Muthumanikkam, learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) takes notice for the respondents 1 and 2 and Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar, learned Additional Public Prosecutor, takes notice for the respondents 3 to 5. By consent, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

3. When the matter is taken up for hearing today, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the State would submit that already the proceedings under Section 144 IPC were initiated and the matter is now pending before the Revenue Divisional Officer.

4. Considering the above, the Revenue Divisional Officer is directed to consider the petitioner's representation as well as the representation given by the private respondents and other persons, who are connected with the above temple and conduct enquiry and take a decision by tomorrow (i.e., 13.09.2024) itself.



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WEB COPY 5. With the above direction, the Writ Petition stands disposed of.

No costs.

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NCC : Yes/No
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Note : Issue order copy on 12.09.2024

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Palayamkottai Police Station, Tirunelveli District.
6. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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