



W.P(MD)No.22625 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 18.11.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

W.P(MD)No.22625 of 2023

and

**W.M.P(MD)Nos.18861, 18863 & 21484 of 2023 &
17562 of 2024**

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... Petitioner

Vs

- 1.The Chief Engineer,
State Ground & Surface Water
Resources Data Centre,
WRD, Tharamani,
Chennai 113.
- 2.The District Collector,
Madurai District,
Madurai.
- 3.The District Environmental Engineer,
Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board,
Kappalur,
Madurai.
- 4.The Executive Engineer,
Ground Water Division,
Water Resources Department,
Madurai.
- 5.The Block Development Officer,
(Village Panchayats),
Kallikudi Panchayat Union,
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6.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Thirumangalam,
Madurai District.

7.The Tahsildar,
Kallikudi Taluk,
Madurai District.

8.The Revenue Inspector,
Kallikudi,
Madurai District.

9.The Assistant Engineer,
The Tamil Nadu Generation of Electricity and
Distribution Corporation Limited,
Kallikudi, Kallikudi Taluk,
Madurai District.

10.The Inspector of Police,
Kallikudi Police Station,
Madurai District.

11.M/s.Om Saravana Saduragiri,
Saaral,
1/252, North Road,
Avalsooran Patti Village,
Kallikudi Taluk,
Madurai District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Certiorari, to call for the records of the first respondent in his proceedings in Lr.No.DD(G)/OT 10/G-6/579/Renewal NOC/Madurai/2023/dated 28.07.2023 and quash the same as illegal, arbitrary and violation of law.



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For Petitioner : Mr.M.Jothi Basu
For R – 1 : Mrs.Vijayalaskhmi Natarajan
For RR 1, 2, 4 to 8 : Mr.D.Gandhi Raj
Special Government Pleader
For R – 10 : Mrs.M.Aasha
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)
For R – 11 : Mr.S.Vellaichamy

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed challenging the order passed by the first respondent dated 28.07.2023.

2.Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and perused the materials placed before this Court.

3.On perusal of records would reveal that the period of licence itself now expired and nothing survives for further adjudication in this Writ Petition. However, now, respondent No.11 applied for renewal of licence and it is pending on the file of the first respondent.



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4.In view of the above, the petitioner is at liberty to raise objection before the first respondent. If any objection received from the writ petitioner, the first respondent is directed to conduct enquiry, after issuing notice to the respondent No.11 and the petitioner and after affording due opportunity of hearing to the parties concerned and pass orders on the application of licence, within a period of two weeks from the date of the objection received from the petitioner.

5.With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous Petitions are closed.

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NCC : Yes / No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes
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- 3.The District Environmental Engineer,
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