



W.P.(MD)No.26492 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 21.10.2024

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.SUBRAMANIAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE L.VICTORIA GOWRI**

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R.Sripathi Raj

... Petitioner

-VS-

1.The Director,

Director of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption,
293, MKN Road,
Alandur, Chennai.

2.The Principal Secretary,

Department of Tourism and Religious Endowments,
Chennai.

3.The Commissioner,

Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments Department,
119, Uthamar Gandhi Road,
Nungambakkam,
Chennai.



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4.The District Collector,

Kanyakumari District @ Nagercoil.

5.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,

Vigilance and Anti-Corruption Department,

Kanyakumari Detachment @ Nagercoil.

6.The Inspector of Police,

Vigilance and Anti-Corruption Department,

Kanyakumari Detachment @ Nagercoil.

7.M.Anbumani

8.B.Ananth

9.K.Ayyappan

10.P.Senthil Kumar

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 5 herein to probe enquiry and take necessary action as against the respondents 7 to 10 herein on the basis of the Criminal Cases registered against them by the 6th respondent herein on the basis of the representation made by the petitioner before them by RPAD dated 10.11.2022.



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For Petitioner : Mr.K.Govindarajan
for Mr.B.Brijesh Kishore
For R1 to R6 : Mr.P.Thilak Kumar
Government Pleader
For R7 to R10 : Mr.K.Sridhar
for Mr.N.Shanmugaselvam

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by R.SUBRAMANIAN, J.]

Prayer in the Writ Petition reads as follows:-

"To issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 5 herein to probe enquiry and take necessary action as against the respondents 7 to 10 herein on the basis of the Criminal Cases registered against them by the 6th respondent herein on the basis of the representation made by the petitioner before them by RPAD dated 10.11.2022."

2.It is stated that two of the FIRs filed have been closed as mistake of fact and as such in one of the FIRs, the Director of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption has recommended for dropping of action and the same is pending with the Commissioner, HR & CE Department. It is also seen that the HR & CE Department has also issued charge memos to the alleged delinquent officials.



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3.Leaving it open to the Department to conduct an enquiry, this Writ
Petition is closed. There shall be no order as to costs.

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