



W.P.No.18209 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED : 15.05.2025

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE V.LAKSHMINARAYANAN

W.P.No.18209 of 2025 and
W.M.P.Nos.20395 & 20403 of 2025

N.Natarajan

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by its
Principal Secretary to Government,
Municipal Administration & Water Supply
Department,
Fort St.George, Chennai 600 009.
- 2.The Director,
Directorate of Municipal Administration,
Urban Administrative Building Campus,
Santhome High Road, Chennai - 600 028.
- 3.The Commissioner,
Thiruvathipuram Municipality,
Thiruvathipuram,
Thiruvannamalai District.
- 4.The Municipal Engineer,
Thiruvathipuram Municipality,
Thiruvathipuram,
Thiruvannamalai District.

... Respondents



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PRAYER : Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of The Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus to call for the records relating to the tender notices in Tender Reference Nos.421/2024/E1-Road-1, 421/2024/E1-Road-2, 421/2024/E1-Road-3 dated 08.05.2025 (uploaded on 09.05.2025) on the file of the third respondent and quash the same and direct the respondents to call for the fresh tender notice by affording sufficient time limit for the submission of tender as per Section 20(1) of the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000 and direct the respondents to conduct the tender in free and fair manner by providing all the certificates including site visit certificate to the petitioner.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Elangovan

For Respondents : Mr.J.Ravindran, AAG assisted by
Mr.S.Rajesh, GA
for R1 to R3

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed to call for the records relating to the tender notices in Tender Reference Nos.421/2024/E1-Road-1, 421/2024/E1-Road-2, 421/2024/E1-Road-3 dated 08.05.2025 (uploaded on 09.05.2025) on the file of the third respondent and quash the same and direct the respondents to call for the fresh tender notice by affording sufficient time limit for the submission of tender as per Section 20(1) of the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000 and direct the respondents to conduct the tender in free



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and fair manner by providing all the certificates including site visit certificate to the petitioner.

2. Heard Mr.V.Elangovan, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.J.Ravindran, learned Additional Advocate General assisted by Mr.S.Rajesh, learned Government Advocate for the respondents and perused the materials available on record.

3. When the matter is called for admission, the learned Additional Advocate General appearing for the respondents submitted that the very tender which is being challenged in this Writ Petition is going to be cancelled.

4. Recording the above submission, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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