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W.P.Crl.No.376 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 25.07.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.VELMURUGAN

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P.M.Rupa

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Joint Commissioner of Police,
Mylapore,
Chennai – 600 004.

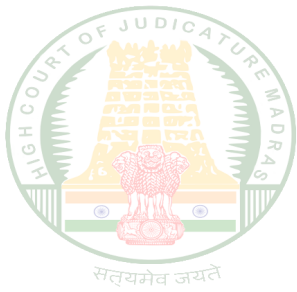
2. State rep.by
The Inspector of Police,
E1 Mylapore Police Station,
Chennai.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, praying to issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the 2nd respondent to re-open the premises situated at No.6/8, 3rd Floor, Bishop Wallers Avenue South, Mylapore, Chennai – 04.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Saravana Kumar

For Respondents : Dr.C.E.Pratap
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)



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ORDER

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The Writ Petition has been filed seeking for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 2nd respondent to re-open the premises situated at No.6/8, 3rd Floor, Bishop Wallers Avenue South, Mylapore, Chennai – 04.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for respondents and perused the materials available on record.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that petitioner is running a therapy centre at No.6/8, 3rd Floor, Bishop Wallers Avenue South, Mylapore, Chennai – 04, after obtaining licence and other necessary requisites from the competent authority. However, the second respondent-Police made an illegal demand and also threatened to foist a false case against him. Hence, the petitioner preferred complaints to the first respondent herein and Commissioner of Police and others. In order to take wreak vengeance, the second respondent-Police conducted a raid



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in the business premises of the petitioner and filed a false case against the petitioner and locked the said premises. Hence, the present petition.

4. Learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondents-Police, on instructions, submitted that earlier the petitioner filed a writ petition in W.P.No.25268 of 2022 seeking a direction to the second respondent to issue "No Objection Certificate" to run the petitioner's Spa centre in the subject premises. This Court *vide* order dated 20.09.2022 disposed of the petition on certain conditions. However, as the petitioner had violated the conditions imposed in the approval/licence/permission, the second respondent-Police registered a case in Crime No.68 of 2025 against the petitioner herein and another for the offences punishable under Sections 3(2)(b), 4(1) and 5(1)(a) of Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956. He further submitted that investigation is almost over and charge sheet will be filed shortly.

5. Considering the facts and circumstances and also considering the submissions of learned counsel on either side, this Writ Petition is disposed of with a direction to the second respondent-Police to complete



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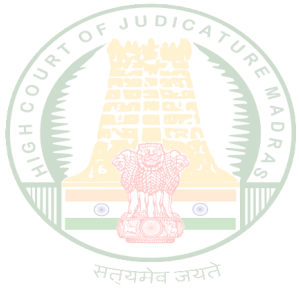
the investigation and file a final report within a period of one month from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. However, it is always open to the petitioner to avail his remedy before the appropriate forum, after filing of charge sheet by the second respondent-Police, if he so desires.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking Order : Yes/No
Neutral Citation Case : Yes/No
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3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.



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