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WP No. 28141 of 2025



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 31-07-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

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1. Rukkumani
W/o. Munusami

Petitioner(s)

Vs

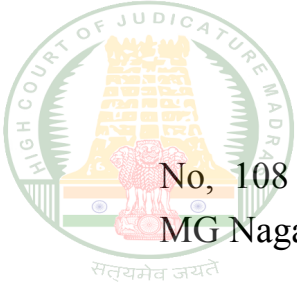
1. The State Rep By
The District Collector,
O/o. District Collector,
Chennai 60 0001.

2.The Commissioner Of Police
O/o. Commissioner Of Police
Veppery, Chennai

3.The Tahsildar
Velachery Taluk,
Chennai District
Chennai – 632 001

4.The Inspector of Police
J-13 Taramani Police Station, Chennai

5.Samthana Vazhvu A.G. Jebha Veedu Sabai
Represented By Rajendran,



No, 108 VV Kovil Street,
MG Nagar, Taramani 600 113.

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Respondent(s)

PRAAYER

Directing the respondents 1st and 3rd respondents forbear the 5th respondents from functioning of the church in the residential area without obtain any approval from the respondents 1 to 4 pursuant the petitioners representation dated 07.07.2025.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.R.Thirumoorthy

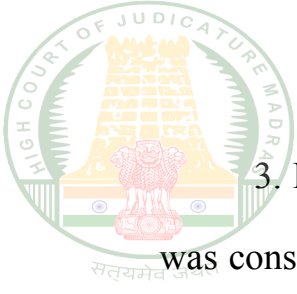
For Respondent: Mr.V.Meganathan
Government Advocate (Crl. Side) (for R2&4)

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for the issue of writ of mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 4 respondents to act upon the representation made by the petitioner wherein the petitioner is seeking for preventing the 6th respondent from converting the residential premises to a prayer hall.

2. When the matter was taken up for hearing today, the written instructions from the 3rd respondent was placed before this Court and the relevant portions are extracted hereunder,

மேற்படி மனுதாரர் திருமதி.ருக்மணி மற்றும் ஜெப வீடு அமையப்பெற்றுள்ள திரு. ராஜேந்திரன் என்பவரின் வீடும் அருகருகே அமையப்பெற்றுள்ளது எனவும், இவர்கள் கடந்த 20 ஆண்டுகளாக இப்பகுதியில் வசித்து வருவதாகவும், தெரியவருகிறது. மேலும் திரு. ராஜேந்திரன் என்பவர் தரை தளத்தில் வீடு மற்றும் முதல் தளத்தில் ஜெப வீடாகவும் பயன்பாட்டில் உள்ளது தெரியவருகிறது. மேற்படி வீடு அமைந்துள்ள பகுதி கிராம கணக்குகளின்படி தரமணி கிராமம், பிளாக் எண் 6 நகர புல எண் 67-ல் சர்கார் புறம்போக்கு புலம் அடங்கல் கலத்தில் இந்தியன் இன்ஸ்டிடியூட் ஆப் டெக்னாலஜி என்று பதிவாகியுள்ளது எனவும் பணிவுடன் தெரிவித்துக் கொள்கிறேன்.



3. It is clear from the above that the representation made by the petitioner was considered and it was found that the 5th respondent is utilizing the property as a prayer hall. It is too well settled that the residential property cannot be used as a prayer hall without obtaining the permission of the District Collector. Therefore, there shall be a direction to the 3rd and 4th respondents to ensure that the 5th respondent does not use the residential property as a prayer hall. If the 5th respondent wants to utilise the property as a prayer hall, they have to necessarily obtain the permission of the District Collector as per Rules.

4. This writ petition is disposed of in the above terms. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petitions, if any, are closed.

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