



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED : 02.09.2024

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

W.P. No.33521 of 2025

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... Petitioner

-VS-

1. The Commissioner
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments,
119, Uthamar Gandhi Road,
Chennai 34.

2. The District Collector,
Kallakurichi District.

3. The Superintending Archaeologist,
Archaeological Survey of India- Chennai Circle,
Secretariat, chennai-9.

4. The Joint Commissioner,
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments,
Kallakurichi District.

5. The Assistant Commissioner,
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments,
Kallakurichi District.

6. The Trustee,
Arulmigu Vaanilai Kandeewarar (Apthasakayeswarar) Temple,
Senthamangalam,
Ulundurpettai Taluk,
Kallakurichi District.

... Respondents

Prayer:- Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, 1950, praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the first to 6th respondents



to conduct consecration Kudamuzhukku/Nanneerattu function of Arulmighu Vaanilai Kandeewarar (Apathsakayeswarar) Temple, Sendhamangalam in Tamil by chanting appropriate Tamil Humns by considering the petitioner's representation dated 28.08.2025.

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. C.Prabhu
For Respondent(s) : Mr.N.R.R.Arun Natarajan, SGP
RR1,4 & 5
Mr.G.Velu, AGP RR2 & 3
Mrs.R.Hemalatha, R6

ORDER

By consent of both parties, the Writ Petition is taken up for final hearing at the admission stage itself.

2. This petition has filed seeking a direction to the 1st to 6th respondents to conduct consecration Kudamuzhukku/Nanneerattu function of Arulmighu Vaanilai Kandeewarar (Apathsakayeswarar) Temple, Sendhamangalam in Tamil by chanting appropriate Tamil Humns by considering the petitioner's representation dated 28.08.2025.

3. It is the case of the petitioner that the petitioner preferred representation dated 28.08.2025 to the respondents requesting to ensure Tamil Hymns during the auspicious day of Kudamuzhukku/Nanneerattu at Temple's Karuvarai, Velvisalai and also at Gopura Kalasam of Arulmighu Vaanilai Kandeewarar (Apathsakayeswarar) Temple, Sendhamangalam. However, the



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said representation was not considered by the respondents. Hence, the petitioners have filed the present petition before this Court.

4. The learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that this Court may issue a direction to the respondents to consider the representation dated 28.08.2025 within the time stipulated by this Court.

5. Per contra, the learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondents 1,4 and 5 submitted that poojas will be conducted as per Agamam and Tamil Hymns during the auspicious day of Kudamuzhukku.

6. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondent and perused the materials available on record.

7. In view of the fair submission submitted by the learned Special Government Pleader, the writ petition is closed. No costs.

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M.DHANDAPANI, J.

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NCS : Yes/No

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