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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 18.12.2025

CORAM

THE HON'BLE MR.MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA,

CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN

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and WMP No.45092 of 2025

K.Subaiyan

.. Petitioner

-vs-

1. The Commissioner,
Prohibition & Excise, Coimbatore
District, Coimbatore.
2. The District Collector,
Coimbatore District, Coimbatore.
3. The Commissioner of Police,
Coimbatore District, Coimbatore.
4. Allandurai Social Recreation Club,
Rep. By its Secretary, Loganathan,
No.3217, J2, Thattan Thottam,
Avinashi Road, Neelambur,
Coimbatore.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for
issuance of a Writ of Mandamus forbearing the respondents 1 to 3



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from granting FL2 liquor license to the 4th respondent situated at No.3217, J2, Thattan Thottam, Avinashi Road, Neelambur, Coimbatore, Tiruppur.

For Petitioner : Mr.Avinash Wadhwani
For Respondents : Mr.E.Vijay Anand
Addl. Govt. Pleader,
for RR 1 and 2
: Mr.E.Raj Thilak
Addl. Public Prosecutor for R-3

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ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

In response to the petitioner's allegation that respondents 1 to 3 are proceeding to grant FL2 licence to 4th respondent in violation of law, the status report filed by the 1st and 2nd respondents reveals that initially when an application was made by the 4th respondent, the same was not accepted. Thereafter, another application has been moved and comments are awaited.

2. It is, thus, clear that till date the respondents 1 to 3 have not taken a decision, much less a decision, to award granting FL2 licence



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in favour of 4th respondent. Therefore, this petition is premature and is, accordingly, dismissed, with liberty to assail, in case the licence is granted.

There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, the interim application stands closed.

(MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA, CJ.) (G.ARUL MURUGAN, J.)
18.12.2025

Index : Yes/No
Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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1. K.Subaiyan
S/o. Kadarkarai, D.No.2/202,
Venkitapuram, Kulathur Road,
Chinniyampalayam Post,
Coimbatore -641 062

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Commissioner
Prohibition And Excise, Coimbatore
District, Coimbatore. And 3 others

Respondent(s)

For Petitioner(s): Mrs.Srimathi.V.

For Respondent(s): Mr.E.Vijay Anand
Addl. Govt. Pleader
For RR 1 and 2.
Mr.S.Vinoth Kumar
Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side)
For R3.



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The Hon'ble Chief Justice
and
G.Arul Murugan, J.

ORDER

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It is brought to the notice that in the order dated 18.12.2025, the name of counsel for 3rd respondent is wrongly typed as Mr.E.Raj Thilak, Additional Public Prosecutor, instead of Mr.S.Vinoth Kumar, learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side).

The appearance of 3rd respondent in the order dated 18.12.2025 be appropriately corrected as Mr.S.Vinoth Kumar, learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side), in the place of Mr.E.Raj Thilak, Additional Public Prosecutor and corrected copy shall be issued.

(MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA, C.J.) (G.ARUL MURUGAN, J.)
09.01.2026

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