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W.P.No.41663 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated : 06.11.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.B.BALAJI

W.P.No.41663 of 2025 and WMP No.46695 of 2025

B.S.Kannan

.... Petitioner

VS

1. The Commissioner,
Hindu Religious and Charitable
Endowment Department,
119, Uthamar Gandhi Road, Nungambakkam,
Chennai-600 034.

2. The Joint Commissioner,
Hindu Religious and Charitable
Endowment Department,
D.No.24, Karur Bye Pass Road,
Perumparappu, Solar, Erode-638002.

3. B.P.Balasubramanian

4.J.Ravi

... Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking to issue a Writ of Mandamus to direct the first respondent to restrain the respondent No.4 from discharge the function of Hereditary Managing Trustee of Sri Vaitheeswaran Temple, Bommarapalayam Village, Namakkal District pending disposal of appeal in



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A.P.No.115/2024 on the file of the first respondent.

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For Petitioner : Mr.M.Saravanakumar

For Respondents : Mr.K.Karthikeyan
Govt. Advocate
For R.1 and R.2

ORDER

The petitioner has filed the writ petition seeking to issue a Writ of Mandamus to direct the first respondent to restrain the fourth respondent from discharging his function as Hereditary Managing Trustee of Sri Vaitheeswaran Temple, Bommarapalayam Village, Namakkal District pending disposal of appeal in A.P.No.115/2024 pending on the file of the first respondent.

2. The case of the writ petitioner is that the fourth respondent has got himself appointed as Hereditary Managing Trustee of Sri Vaitheeswaran Temple based on fabricated documents and behind the back of the writ petitioner. The petitioner has also filed an appeal in A.P No.115 of 2024, which is pending on the file of the first respondent.



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3. Admittedly, there is no interim stay granted in the appeal filed by the writ petitioner. The appeal has been pending for more than a year and therefore, it would suffice to direct the first respondent to dispose of the appeal.

4. Accordingly, the first respondent is directed to dispose of the appeal in A.P.No.115 of 2024 on merits and in accordance with law within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and subject to the final decision, further action may be taken/dropped as against the fourth respondent.

5. With the above direction, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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