



W.P.(MD)No.2825 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 31.01.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KUMARESH BABU

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Sri Meenakshi Sundareswarar Nagara Sivan Kovil,
A.Thekkur,
Represented by its Trustee,
Thanikachalam

...Petitioner

Vs

The Assistant Commissioner,
Hindu Religious and Charitable, Endowment Department,
Sivagangai.

... Respondent

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent to remove the petitioner temple from non-listed category and also withdraw the ITMS No.TM037217 within the stipulated time based on the order in O.A.No.8 of 1984 dated 13.09.1985 passed by the Deputy Commissioner, HR and CE Department, Madurai.

For Petitioner : Mr.J.Jaaswant
For Mr.R.M.Arun Swaminathan

For Respondent : Mr.P.Subbaraj
Special Government Pleader



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ORDER

Heard Mr.J.Jaaswant, for Mr.R.M.Arun Swaminathan, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.P.Subbaraj, learned Special Government Pleader, for the respondent.

2. Even though the prayer sought for in the Writ Petition is for a direction to remove the petitioner's temple from the non listed category and also withdraw the number assigned to the temple, it is to be noted that the petitioner has made a representation on 21.11.2024, which was forwarded by the Joint Commissioner of HR and CE Department, Sivagangai to the respondent herein. Therefore, the respondent is directed to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 21.11.2024 and pass orders on merits and in accordance with law, in consonance with the order made in O.A.No.8 of 1984 dated 13.09.1985 by the Deputy Commissioner of HR and CE Department, Madurai, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



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WEB COPY 3. With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of.

There shall be no order as to costs.

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NCC:yes/no
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Internet:yes/no
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To:

The Assistant Commissioner,
Hindu Religious and Charitable, Endowment Department,
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