



W.P.(MD)No.9203 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 03.04.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE V. LAKSHMINARAYANAN

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K.Chandrasekaran

... Petitioner

vs.

1.The District Collector,
Dindigul.

2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Kodaikanal, Dindigul District.

3.The Tahsildar,
Taluk Office, Kodaikanal,
Dindigul District.

4.The Joint Commissioner,
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowment Department,
Dindigul.

5.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Kodaikanal, Dindigul District.

6.The Inspector of Police,
Kodaikanal, Dindigul District.

7.Thiruppathi

... Respondents



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PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents 2 to 5 to take immediate action to recover all the Antique Jewels and other Priceless things belonged to the 12 God Idols Temple (Panirendappar Kovil), Palamputhur, Kookkal Village, Kodaikanal, Dindigul District by initiate appropriate enquiry within a period that may be stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Mohan
For Respondents : Mr.S.Shaji Bino (for R1 to R3)
Special Government Pleader
Mr.K.S.Selvaganesan (for R4)
Additional Government Pleader
Mr.M.Karunanithi (For R5 & R6)
Government Advocate

ORDER

When the matter was taken up for hearing, Mr.M.Karunanithi, learned Government Advocate, appearing for the fifth and sixth respondents brings to my notice that the sixth respondent after perusal of the complaint has come to a conclusion that the dispute raised in the complaint is one of civil in nature and that, parties have to work out their rights before the jurisdictional civil Court.



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2. Mr.N.Mohan appearing for the petitioner seeks permission of this Court to withdraw the above writ petition with liberty to approach the jurisdictional civil Court seeking return of articles, which are in the hands of the seventh respondent and which the petitioner claims belongs to the Panirendappan temple. He has also made an endorsement to that effect.

3. Permission is granted with the aforesaid liberty. This Writ Petition is dismissed as withdrawn. No costs.

Index :Yes / No
NCC :Yes / No
Rmk

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