



W.P.Crl.(MD)No.1085 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 11.09.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

W.P.Crl.(MD) No.1085 of 2025

and

W.M.P.Crl.(MD) No.279 of 2025

Karthick

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Pudukottai.

2.The Tahsildhar,
Thirumayam.

3.The Inspector of Police,
K.Pudupatti Police Station,
Thirumayam Taluk,
Pudukottai District.

4.Udayappan

...Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondent Nos. 1 to 3 to permit the conduct of Varusha Abhisekam (Annual day Abhisekam) in Arulmighu Sree Muthu Mariamman Thirukovil by villagers, on any auspicious day fixed by the villagers without excluding any one of the villagers and without the chairmanship of anyone as Ambalam.



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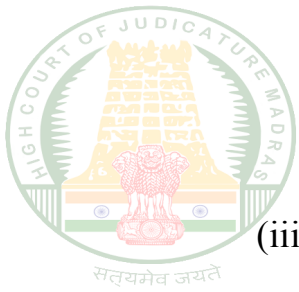
For Petitioner : Mr.VR.Shanmuganathan
for Mr.N.Manoharan
For R1 and R2 : Mr.D.S.Nedunchezian
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)
For R4 : Mr.A.Arunprasad

ORDER

The petitioner has filed this Writ Petition seeking issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondent Nos.1 to 3 to permit the conduct of *Varusha Abhisekam (Annual Day Abhisekam)* in Arulmighu Sree Muthu Mariamman Thirukovil by the villagers, on any auspicious day fixed by them, without excluding any villager and without the chairmanship of anyone as *Ambalam*.

2. It is brought to the notice of this Court that the petitioner and the fourth respondent (*Ambalam*) have arrived at a compromise and have filed a joint affidavit. In the said affidavit, it is stated that the petitioner and the fourth respondent have agreed as follows:

- (i) The petitioner shall conduct the *Varusha Abhisekam* on 14.09.2025.
- (ii) The fourth respondent shall conduct the *Varusha Abhisekam* on 12.09.2025.



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(iii) Both parties have further agreed that they shall not disturb each other while conducting their respective *Abhisekam*.

The scanned copy of the joint affidavit reads as follows:

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE MADRAS
AT MADURAI BENCH
(Special Original Jurisdiction)**

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Karthick,
Son of Vellayan,
Posampatti Village,
Thirumayam Taluk,
Pudukkottai District.

.... Petitioner

-Vs-

1. The Revenue Divisional Office,
Pudukkottai.
2. The Tahsildar,
Thirumayam.
3. The Inspector of Police,
K.Pudupatti Police Station,
Thirumayam Taluk,
Pudukkottai District.
4. Udyappan,
Son of Muthiah,
Posampatti Village,
Thirumayam Taluk,
Pudukkottai District.

.... Respondents

**JOINT AFFIDAVIT FILED BY THE PETITIONER AND THE
4TH RESPONDENT**

I, Karthick, S/o. Vellayan, Hindu, aged about ... years,
residing at Posampatti Village, Thirumayam Taluk, Pudukkottai
District, now temporarily come down to Madurai, do hereby
solemnly affirm and sincerely state as follows:-

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V. Karthick



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I, Udyappan, S/o. Muthiah, Hindu, aged about 63 years, residing at Posampatti Village, Thirumayam Taluk, Pudukottai District, now temporarily come down to Madurai, do hereby solemnly affirm and sincerely state as follows:-

1. We filed this joint affidavit in the above writ petition and as such we were well acquainted with the facts of the case.

2. We humbly submit that the above writ petition praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents No.1 to 3 to permit to conduct of Varusa Abishegam in Arulmigu Sri Muthumariamman Thiru Kovil by Villagers are any auspicious day fixed by Villagers without excluding anyone of the Villagers and without the chairmanship of anyone of Ambalam.

3. We humbly submit that the above writ petition in W.P.Crl.(MD).No.1085 of 2025 came up for hearing before this Hon'ble Court on 04.09.2025, this Hon'ble Court suggested that the parties fix a common date for conducting the Varusha Abhisekam (Annual Day Abhisekam) at Arulmighu Sree Muthu Mariamman Thirukovil, Posampatti Village, Sivangangai District, by consulting either party and file an affidavit before this Hon'ble Court on 10.09.2025.

4. We humbly submit that on 10.09.2025 we both the parties filed separate affidavit, at that time it was represented through our Counsel that we both are ready to conduct Varusha Abhisekam (Annual Day Abhisekam) of Arulmighu Sree Muthu Mariamman

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V. K.



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Thirukovil in two separate dates. For which, this Hon'ble Court has directed us to file a joint affidavit to that effect.

5. We humbly submit that one of us i.e., the petitioner in the writ petition is decided to conduct Varusha Abhisekam (Annual Day Abhisekam) on 14.09.2025 and the other one of us i.e., the 4th respondent in the writ petition decided to conduct on 12.09.2025 Varusha Abhisekam (Annual Day Abhisekam) of Arulmighu Sree Muthu Mariamman Thirukovil.

6. We humbly submit that one of us i.e., the petitioner in the writ petition or his men will not in any manner disturb the peaceful worship of the Varusha Abhisekam to be held on 12.09.2025, which is going to be organized by the 4th respondent and their men. Likewise, another one of us i.e., the 4th respondent in the writ petition or his men will not in any manner disturb the peaceful worship of the Varusha Abhisekam to be held on 14.09.2025 which is going to be organized by the petitioner and their men.

For the reason stated above, It is prayed that this Hon'ble Court may be pleased to accept this joint affidavit and pass suitable orders/directions and pass such further or other orders as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper in the circumstances of the case and thus render justice.

V. K. S.
Petitioner

M. M. Velupillai
4th Respondent

Solemnly affirmed at Madurai
on this the 10th day of September, 2025
and signed his name in my presence.

BEFORE ME
ADVOCATE, MADURAI

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The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) submitted that respondent Nos.1 and 2 have no objection to the conduct of the *Varusha Abhisekam* by the petitioner and the fourth respondent in the above stated manner.



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In view of the joint affidavit filed by the petitioner and the fourth respondent and recording the submission made by the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side), this Writ Petition stands disposed of. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed. No costs.

11.09.2025

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Note: Issue order copy on 11.09.2025.

To

- 1.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
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- 2.The Tahsildhar,
Thirumayam.
- 3.The Inspector of Police,
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Thirumayam Taluk,
Pudukottai District.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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