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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH
COURT

DATED : 25.08.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

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P.Ganesa Murugan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Superintendent of Police,
Pudukottai.

2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Ponnamaravati, Pudukottai.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Ponnamaravathi Police Station,
Pudukottai.

4.The Sub Inspector of Police,
Karaiyur Police Station,
Pudukottai District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the constitution of India, seeking for the issuance of Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to grant permission



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to perform the traditional Devotional Drama program
“Valli Thirumanam Nadagam” on 27.08.2025 at
Morandampatti Village, Keelatharaniyam Post,
Ponnamaravathi Taluk, Pudukottai District, based on the
petitioner’s representation dated 07.08.2025.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Suresh

For Respondents : Mr.A.S.Abul Kalaam Azad,
Government Advocate(Crl.side)

For Intervenor : Mr.Na.Palaniyandi

ORDER

The petitioner has approached this Court that his representation, seeking permission and police protection for conducting Valli Thirumana Nadagam on 27.08.2025 at Morandampatti Village, Keelatharaniyam Post, Ponnamaravathi Taluk, Pudukottai District, has not been considered by the fourth respondent.



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2.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that though he has submitted the representation on 07.08.2025, the same has not been processed and therefore, the petitioner filed the present petition. That apart, the petitioner also assures that the programme will be conducted without any law and order problem. In the event, if any law and order problem arises, the petitioner undertakes to take responsibility for the same. The learned Counsel for the petitioner also submits that they are ready to do some social service to the Local Village Panchayat, by paying a sum of Rs.25,000/- for the purpose of desilting a water body in the village. He also submits that the petitioner also undertakes to deposit a sum of Rs.5,000/- each to the Police personnel for providing protection.

3.The learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) appearing for the respondents submits that there are two



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groups and one Palanisamy has also made request for conducting “Valli Thirumana Nadagam” on the very same day and therefore, they are not in a position to take a decision.

4.Mr.Na.Palaniyandi, learned counsel appears on behalf of the said Palanisamy and submits that they are having some objection for conducting “Valli Thirumana Nadagam” by the petitioner on 27.08.2025.

5.In view of this rival submissions, this Court verified with the learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) with regard to the date on which the rival party has made request for conducting the program. The learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) submits that the petitioner has made request on 07.08.2025 and the rival party has made request on 16.08.2025.



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i.The petitioner shall pay a sum of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) to the Local Village Pancahayat for the purpose of desilting a water body in the village.



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ii.The petitioner shall pay a sum of Rs.10,000/-
(Rupees Ten Thousand only) to the Tamil Nadu Police
Benevolent Fund for Police protection.

iii.On production of receipt of payment to the Village
Panchayat and Tamil Nadu Police Benevolent Fund for
Police Protection, the second respondent Police shall grant
permission for conducting the Valli Thirumana Nadagam
on 27.08.2025 as per the circular of the Director General
of Police, Tamil Nadu/Head of State Police Force,
Chennai-4, in Rc.No.007301/General I(I)/2019, dated
09.04.2019.

v.The fourth respondent Police shall depute a
minimum of two Police personnel (Preferably one male and
one female) for Police protection. It is the duty and
responsibility of the deputed Police personnel that the
conditions imposed are followed in its letter and spirit.



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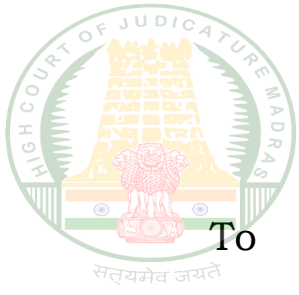
vi.The fourth respondent Police shall ensure that the amount of Rs.25,000/- paid by the petitioner to the Local Village Panchayat is used for desilting a water body in the Village.

vii.The Special Officer of the Village Panchayat and the fourth respondent Police shall file a report before this Court as to the compliance of desilting work in the water body.

There shall be no order as to costs.

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