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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

**DATED: 09-03-2026**

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**THE HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE P.T. ASHA**

**CONT P No. 660 of 2026**

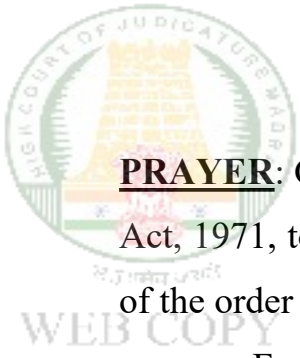
1. P.Natarajan  
S/O.Periyathambi,  
Pillayarkoil Street,Naripalayam Village,  
Perunkurukai Post,Ulundurpet Taluk,  
Villupuram District.
2. M.Mani  
S/O.Muniyan,  
Kovilpuraiyur Village And Post,  
Melmalaiyanur Taluk,  
Villupuram District.
3. V.Kaliyappan,  
S/O.Venkataraman,  
No.101, Veppalampadi Village,  
Katteri Post, Uthangarai Taluk, Krishnagiri  
District.

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. Supriya Sahu, IAS  
Additional Chief Secretary to Government,  
Environment, Climate Change and Forest  
Department,Fort St. George, Chennai-9.
2. R.Srinivasa Reddy, IFS  
The Principal Chief Conservator Of Forest  
(Head Of Forest Force),  
Forest Headquarters,  
Guindy-Velacherry Main Road,  
Near Velachery Check Post,  
Kannigapuram,  
Guindy, Chennai-600 032.

..Contemnor(s)



**PRAYER:** Contempt Petition has been filed under Section 11 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971, to punish the respondents for Contempt of Court for the willful disobedience of the order of this Hon'ble Court made in W.P.No.31523 of 2025 dated 22.08.2025.

For Petitioner(s): No appearance

For Contemnor(s): ,Mr.M.Suresh Kumar, AAG Assisted by  
Mr.S.J.Mohamed Sathik, GA(Forest)

### **ORDER**

It is brought to the notice of this Court that the order which is the subject matter of this petition has been challenged by way of writ appeal in WA.Sr.No.39275 of 2026 before a Hon'ble Division Bench of this Court. This Court, by an order dated 05.03.2026 made in CMP.No.6446 of 2026 in WA.Sr.No.39275 of 2026 has stayed it by stating that no coercive steps shall be taken pursuant to the impugned order.

Therefore, considering the same, this Contempt petition stands closed. It is needless to state that as and when the writ appeal is disposed of in favour of the petitioner and if the orders are not complied with, then this contempt petition can be revived. No costs.

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Index: Yes/No  
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