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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 09-03-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE M. NIRMAL KUMAR

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M.Vijayakumar

.. Petitioner

Vs

1. The Superintendent of Police
Office of The Superintendent of Police,
Villupuram District.
2. Inspector of police
Arakandanallur Police Station,
Villupuram District.
3. D.Velu
4. V.Panneerselvam

.. Respondents

To direct the 1st and 2nd respondents to provide the police protection to the petitioner/Hereditary Tharmakatha and Nattanmaigal as per the petitioner's representation dated 04.02.2026 to peacefully conduct the "Maasi Thiruvizha" scheduled from 06th March, 2026 to 13th March 2026 in the Throupathi Amman Temple located at Arunapuram Village, Kandachipuram Taluk, Villupuram District.

For Petitioner : Mr.E.K.Kumaresan

For Respondents : Mr.Leonard Arul Joseph Selvam,
Additional Public Prosecutor for R1 and R2



ORDER

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2. It is the case of the petitioner that the petitioner has sent a representation dated 04.02.2026 to the respondent Police seeking police protection for the temple festival of Throupathi Amman Temple situated at Arunapuram Village, Kandachipuram Taluk, Villupuram District, scheduled to be held between 06.03.2026 and 13.03.2026.

3. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that the subject temple comes under the petitioner's control. As Hereditary Trustee/Nattanmai, the petitioner has been administering the temple. The respondent police, after verification, have ensured that there are no law and order issues and the temple festival is being conducted peacefully, without any disturbance.



4. Recording the submissions made by the learned Additional Public

Prosecutor, this petition is disposed of. No costs.

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Note: Issue order copy on 10.03.2026.

Index: Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

To

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Villupuram District.
2. Inspector of police
Arakandanallur Police Station,
Villupuram District.
3. D.Velu
S/o.Dhanabal Naicker,
Arunapuram Village,
Ottampattu Post,
Kandachipuram Taluk,
Villupuram District.
4. V.Panneerselvam
S/o.Vadivel Gounder,
Arunapuram Village,
Ottampattu Post,
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