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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 11.02.2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA,
CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN

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P.Mohanraj

.. Petitioner

-vs-

1. The Government of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. By its Secretary, School Education
Department, Fort St. George, Secretariat,
Chennai 600 009.
2. The Director of School Education,
DPI Campus, College Road,
Nungambakkam, Chennai 600 006.
3. The District Collector,
Villupuram District, Villupuram 605 602.
4. The Block Educational Officer,
Koliyanur Block Office,
Villupuram District 605 602.
5. The District Educational Officer,
Office of the DEO, Villupuram District 605 602.
6. The District Educational Officer
(Private School), No.52, New Bus Stand Road,
Kamalakkannappan Nagar, Villupuram District.
7. The Executive Officer,
Valavanur Town Panchayat, Villupuram District 605 108.



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8. The Director of Town and Country Planning,
Director of Town and Country Planning Office,
Villupuram, Villupuram District.
9. Sri Ramakrishnan Nursery & Primary School,
Rep. By its Correspondent, NKSVM Naidu Nagar,
Kumarakuppam, Valavanur,
Villupuram District 605 108.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 87 to forthwith initiate appropriate action against the 9th respondent, Sri Ramakrishna Nursery & Primary School, Kumarakuppam, Valavanur, Villupuram for constructing and operating a school without proper approvals, in violation of educational, building and safety laws and consequently direct the 7th and 8th respondents to take immediate enforcement action under Sections 56 and 57 of the Tamil Nadu Town and Country Planning Act, 1971, against the unauthorized construction and use of the school premises by the 9th respondent.

For Petitioner : Mr.Udhayasuriyan

For Respondents : Mr.E.Vijay Anand
Addl. Govt. Pleader,
for RR 1 to 8
: Mr.K.Venkatesan
for R-9

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ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

Challenge to the construction by the 9th respondent on the ground of it being in serious violation of the guidelines and norms in



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the matter of running private schools, is the issue raised in this petition.

2. The status report filed by the respondents states that the construction, which, at the inception was illegal, has now been regularised under the existing rules and guidelines. Without challenge to the regularisation, no further proceedings can be drawn.

Therefore, this petition is disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to take such remedy as may be available, if the petitioner intends to challenge the action and the order of regularisation of construction. There shall be no order as to costs.

(MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA, CJ.) (G.ARUL MURUGAN, J.)
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Index : Yes/No
Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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