



W.P.Crl.(MD)No.2728 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 07.05.2026

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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... Petitioner

Vs

1.The District Collector,
Tirunelveli District,
Tirunelveli.

2.The Assistant Commissioner,
Tirunelveli City,
Tirunelveli.

3.State of Tamilnadu Rep by
The Inspector of Police,
Thatchanallur Police Station,
Tirunelveli District.

... 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 respondents to grant permission and police protection to celebrate the Kovilkodai in the said temple namely A/M Shri Petchiyamman, Shri Vembadisudalai Madasamy, Shri Petchiyamman Shri Vembadisudalai Madasamy, Shri Karupasamy, Shri Kombu Madasamy Thirukovil, situated at Oorudaiyarpuram, Nainarkulam Road, Tirunelveli Town, going to be held on 08.05.2026 and 09.05.2026 based upon the petitioner's representation dated 02.05.2026.



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For Petitioner : Mr.S.Gokulraj
For R1 : Mr.Ramanathan
Additional Government Pleader
For R2 and R3 : Mr.A.S.Abul Kalaam Azad
Government Advocate (Crl.side)

ORDER

The present Writ Petition is filed for Mandamus, directing the respondents to grant permission and police protection to celebrate the Kovil Kodai in the temple situated at Oorudaiyarpuram, Nainarkulam Road, Tirunelveli Town, to be held on 08.05.2026 and 09.05.2026, based upon the petitioner's representation dated 02.05.2026.

2. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) submitted that the petitioner's application was considered and permission and protection were also granted with conditions vide communication of the third respondent dated 05.05.2026.



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3. In view of the same, nothing survives for further adjudication. Hence, this Writ Petition is closed. However, if the petitioner is seeking any additional Police protection, the same may be granted at the expense of the petitioner. No costs.

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NCC : Yes / No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes/ No

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Note: Issue order copy on 08.05.2026.

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Tirunelveli District.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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