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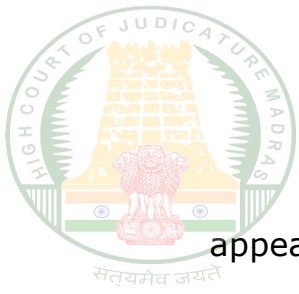


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Status Report filed by the Additional Director(PRT), Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai-15 filed.

2.On a perusal of the above status report, we are totally not satisfied in the manner in which the issue is dealt with, without any seriousness. Despite earlier orders of this Bench, dated 02.11.2022 and order of the Full Bench, dated 17.8.2022, no further action has been taken and the status report is without any details and the very status report indicates that it is prepared in a casual manner and without showing any seriousness in this issue. Spreading of Juli Flora(Karuvelam tree) is in fact a serious issue, which will affect the entire eco-system. Having understood the seriousness of this issue and having taken a policy decision in this regard, still the orders of this Bench having not been implemented in its letter and spirit. Such non-implementation of the orders of this Court will force this Court to pass orders for the



appearance of the Secretary concerned before this Court.

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3.At this juncture, the learned Additional Advocate General appeared before this Court and would submit that he will file a detailed status report on or before 05.07.2023 in this matter and also ensure that all the Local Level Committees will be constituted as per the orders of this Bench.

4.If such exercise is not taken on or before 5.7.2023, we have no other option, except to initiate appropriate proceedings for the implementation of the orders of this Bench.

5.Post the matter on 5.7.2023, for filing such status report by the learned Additional Advocate General.

[N.S.K.,J.] [D,B.C.,J.]
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