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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 05.02.2026

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE DR.JUSTICE G.JAYACHANDRAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN**

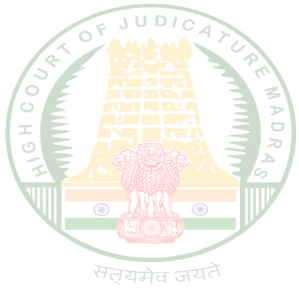
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M.Krishnamoorthy

... Petitioner

-vs-

- 1.The District Collector
Tiruchirappalli District
Tiruchirappalli
- 2.The Revenue Divisional Officer
O/o.Revenue Divisional Officer
Musiri, Tiruchirappalli District
- 3.The Commissioner
Hindu Religious and Charitable
Endowment Department
119, Uthamar Gandhi Salai
Nungambakkam
Chennai-600 034
- 4.The Joint Commissioner
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Endowment Department
Srinivasa Nagar, Thiruvanaikoil
Tiruchirappalli



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5.The Assistant Commissioner
Hindu Religious and Charitable
Endowment Department
Rockfort, Tiruchirappalli

6.The Executive Officer
Arulmigu Madurai Kaliyamman Thirukoil
Kouthrasanaloor Village
Thottiyam, Thiruchirappalli District

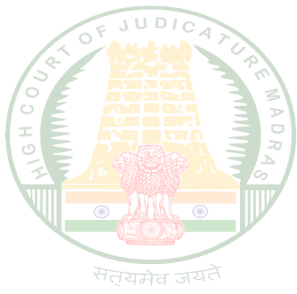
7.C.Durairaj @ Maruthnayagam

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to conduct an enquiry and remove the encroachment made by the 7th respondent in the 6th respondent government temple in survey no.317/2 and in survey no.49/26 of chitoor village, Thottiyam Taluk, Thiruchirappalli district, based on the representation dated 04.03.2024 within the time limit that may be stipulated by this court for the facts and circumstances of this case.

For Petitioner : Mr.B.Satheesh Kumar

For Respondents : Mr.J.Ashok
Additional Government Pleader for R1 to R5



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ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by DR.G.JAYACHANDRAN, J.]

Mr.J.Ashok, learned Additional Government Pleader, takes notice for the respondents 1 to 5.

2. Notice to the respondents 6 & 7 returnable by 05.03.2026.

Private notice is also permitted.

3. The official respondents are directed to file a report before this Court on the next date of hearing with regard to the status of the representation dated 04.03.2024 said to have been made by the petitioner.

4. Post the matter on 05.03.2026.

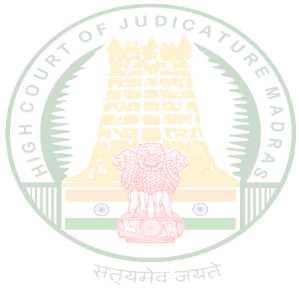
[G.J., J.]

[K.K.R.K., J.]

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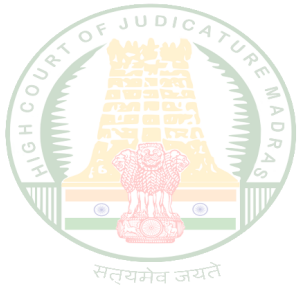


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