

# Tom Jacob vs State Of Kerala on 23 November, 2021

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**Bench: P.V.Kunhikrishnan**

WP(C) No.11725/2020

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM  
PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P.V.KUNHIKRISHNAN  
Tuesday, the 23rd day of November 2021 / 2nd Agrahayana, 1943  
WP(C) NO. 11725 OF 2020

PETITIONER:

TOM JACOB, MANAGING PARTNER, KAYYALAKAM OIL COMPANY,  
CHEERANCHIRA.P.O, CHANGANACHERRY, KOTTAYAM-686106.

RESPONDENTS:

1. STATE OF KERALA, REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, HEALTH SERVICES DEPARTMENT, SECRETARIAT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695001.
2. THE COMMISSIONER OF FOOD SAFETY, COMMISSIONERATE OF FOOD SAFETY, THYCAUD.P.O., THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695014.
3. THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF FOOD SAFETY(DESIGNATED OFFICER), KOTTAYAM, REVENUE TOWER, CHANGANASSERY-686101.

Writ petition (civil) praying inter alia that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed along with the WP(C) the High Court be pleased to issue an interim order allowing the petitioner to continue the manufacture and marketing the two brands of coconut oil namely Hrudayam and Nalla which are already registered with Food Safety and Standards Act as evident from Exhibit P5 license issued, notwithstanding Exhibit P-16 order, pending decision of the above WP(C).

This petition again coming on for orders upon perusing the petition and the affidavit filed in support of WP(C) and this Court's order dated 16.11.2021 and upon hearing the arguments of M/S T.V.AJAYAKUMAR and RIMJU P.H., Advocates for the petitioner and of SRI.K.V.SOHAN, STATE ATTORNEY for R1, R2 and R3, the court passed the following:

ORDER

Post on 10.12.2021.

Interim order is extended till 10.12.2021.

Sd/- P.V.KUNHIKRISHNAN, JUDGE 23-11-2021 /True Copy/ Assistant Registrar