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तव श्रीमन्मूर्ति कलियुतमनीशोऽहमधुना
(श्रीमन्मूर्तिः दर्शनविहीनोऽहम)
भवत्यादम्भोजं भवभयहरं यामि शारणम् ।
अतः सत्यातिश्री प्रसभगणाधात्रमज विमो
गुहस्वामिन् दीने चितर (चितनु) मयि कारुण्यमनिशाम्॥ १॥

अगस्त्यप्रदानाममत्तःदृष्टानकनितायथ
सकृष्ठा न च्यातं पदकमलयुगम तव मया ।
तथापि श्रीसन्धिस्वतनिताय देवेश वरद
गुहस्वामिन् दीने चितर मयि कारुण्यमनिशाम्॥ २॥

रणे हत्वा श्रत्वा सक्त्वदितिजांस्तारकमुखान्
हरिब्रह्मद्राणामपि सुरमुनीनां भुवि नृणाम् ।
मुदे कुर्णाणः श्रीदिविषिव्रिनाथ त्वमभिषितां
गुहस्वामिन् दीने चितर मयि कारुण्यमनिशाम्॥ ३॥

भवायानन्दश्ये: श्रुतिनिकरमूतार्थमसिरं
विमथा व्याहृतं कमलजमश्चक्षं स्वयमपि ।
ब्रुवाणस्वच्च स्वामिन श्रितिघरपते देशिक गुरोः
गुहस्वामिन् दीने चितर मयि कारुण्यमनिशाम्॥ ४॥

शारदाकदायलुकमद्रुत्स्वक्षरसुदः
हिप्पाहो शक्यत विदृशितमहाकोशिशिरिन् ।
हद्वजस्तैश्रीहुकुकरिपते सर्वविविधमां
गुहस्वामिन् दीने चितर मयि कारुण्यमनिशाम्॥ ५॥

महानं केकीन्द्रं वरद निजमामृख दिविषदः
गणानं सर्वशास्मभयद मुनीनां च भजताम् ।
बताराते: कन्यारमण बहुपुष्याचलपते
The verses are (rearranged sequence) part of skandalaharI.

Notes: This hymn is interesting as it mentions in each of its verses a shrine noted for its association with bhagwAn subhraNaNyA. It is well known in Tamil literature that six are the famous hill stations (aarupaDai vIDU) of this Divine Commander of the Gods. There is evidently an echo of this tradition in this stotra:

First verse: (referred to as सत्याञी श्रीस्वरम्यस्वर्णम); Corresponds to verse 25 of skandalaharI
Second verse: (referred to as श्रीस्वरम्यस्वर्णम), “tiruchendil” or “tiruchendUr” the second Padai-Veedu is on the seashore in Tirunelveli District; जयि विदुः *क्षेत्र* (referred to as shrIjanti in skandalaharI); Corresponds to verse 27 of skandalaharI. Also see Tiruchendur Suprabhatham.

Third verse: (referred to as श्रीस्वरम्यस्वर्णम); “tirup-para nkundram” the first Padai-Veedu (the Hill of the Great God) is on the outskirts of Madurai;

Fourth verse: (referred to as श्रीविष्णुस्वर्णम); “swAmimalai” the fourth Padai-Veedu is in a suburb near Kumbakonam in Thanjavur District; स्वामिमालिकेत्र; Corresponds to Verse 26 of skandalaharI. Also see SwAmimalai Sahasranamam.

Fifth verse: (referred to as श्रीश्रीस्वरम्यस्वर्णम); Corresponds to Verse 29 of skandalaharI;

Sixth verse: (referred to as बहुपुण्यपाधल); Corresponds to Verse 30 of skandalaharI

The three shrines given below have yet to be identified with the first, fifth and sixth verse references

1. “tiruAvinankudi” the third Padai-Veedu is at the foothills Palani in Dindigul District; सत्याञी क्षेत्र;
2. “tiruttaNi” the fifth Padai-Veedu is a suburb of Chennai; शान्तादि क्षेत्र;
3. “pazhamudhircholai” the sixth Padai-Veedu, Solaimalai is on the eastern outskirts of Madurai; फलवृक्षोदयान क्षेत्र;

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