



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 06-04-2026

CORAM

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

WP No. 12726 of 2026 and WMP.Nos.13922 & 13920 of 2026

1. M.Munivaradhan
2. Saraswathi shanmugam
3. Banupriya sakthivel
4. Chithravalli
5. Dhanalakshmi
6. Parthiban anbazhagan
7. P. Arumugam
8. Aravalli
9. Jothi surendran
10. Gowrishwari murugan
11. S. Monika
12. Kalaimani kathavarayan
13. R. Mangalakshmi
14. K. Susila
15. A. Kartheepan
16. Mari durairaj
17. K. Sanjai kumar
18. M. Prem kumar
19. Chandru
20. Logesh
21. M. Karthick
22. Gandhimathi
23. Mamuthabee
24. Hemavathi
25. K. Sivalakshmi
26. S. Lavanya
27. Narayanan
28. Susila ragavaan
29. V. Geetha
30. R. Monitha
31. C. Prathap
32. Adhilakshmi arumugam
33. Prasanth
34. Govindhammal rajamanickam
35. Thayalan



36. Kushpu dharani
37. S. Kavitha
38. Sarala
39. Sakunthala veerappan
40. S. Sudhapriya
41. Valli
42. A. Yasar ali
43. Vijay
44. U. Ponmozhi
45. Anjali
46. Nagamalli
47. Desarani
48. Kalaivani manickam
49. Kathiravan
50. Kuppu pitchai
51. S. Sangeetha
52. Deepak kalyanakumar
53. Valli
54. Usha sudhakar
55. Nandhini
56. G. Hasini
57. M. Samynathan
58. Divya mahalakshmi
59. A. Reka
60. Sampath
61. Vikranth
62. Dharani
63. R. Veerath
64. S. Indrani
65. Malathy jayachandran
66. J. Satish kumar
67. Sandhi
68. Prema
69. S. Dhanavalli
70. Valli
71. Sivagami
72. Kaviya
73. Rajan
74. Kuppu
75. Devi
76. Yamuneswari loganathan
77. Parthiban
78. A. Abdulrahman



79. K. Satheeshkumar
80. Punitha
81. Jagadeesan
82. M. Tamilarasan
83. Suba devi

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. Tamil Nadu Urban Habitat
Development Board (TNUHDB)
Kamarajar Salai, Ayothiya Nagar,
Triplicane Chennai - 600 005.

2. The District Collector
62, Rajaji Salai, Chennai Collectorate,
Singaravelar Maaligai Chennai - 600
001.

Respondent(s)

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, directing the respondents to allot residential accommodation to the petitioners in accordance with the Allotment Order dated 17.03.2017, 27.03.2017, 25.04.2017 and 26.05.2017 in Proceedings No. G1/11930/2011 issued by the 1st respondent or otherwise, reallocate residential accommodation to the petitioners in the remaining unutilized land available after the expansion of the Ennore Expressway in the Nalla Thaneer Odai Kuppam area

For Petitioner(s): Mr.V.Balasubramani

For Respondent: Ms.Indumathi Venkatesan for R1
Mr.A.Selvendran for R2
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

WMP.No.13920 of 2026 has been filed to permit the petitioners to file a single writ petition. This petition is ordered on payment of separate court fee.

2. By consent of both parties, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

3. This writ petition has been filed for a direction, directing the



respondents to allot residential accommodation to the petitioners in accordance with the Allotment Order dated 17.03.2017, 27.03.2017, 25.04.2017 and 26.05.2017 in Proceedings No. G1/11930/2011 issued by the 1st respondent or otherwise, reallocate residential accommodation to the petitioners in the remaining unutilized land available after the expansion of the Ennore Expressway in the Nalla Thanneer Odai Kuppam area.

4. It is the case of the petitioners that the petitioners are all fishermen families of the Nalla Thanneer Odai Kuppam have been living for the past three generations. In the year 2017, for the expansion of road, they were directed to vacate the places and the Government has decided to construct new four-storeyed buildings and relocate the families and in this regard, the first respondent has given allotment order vide order dated 17.03.2017, however, it is the grievance of the petitioners that no alternative accommodation were arranged and provided as per the allotment issued by the first respondent and the petitioners are living in a rented houses. In this regard, they have submitted representations on 16.02.2026 and 17.02.2026 to the respondents and they are also pending without consideration till date. Hence, this writ petition.

5. The learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that this Court may issue a direction to the first respondent to consider the representations of the



petitioners dated 16.02.2026 and 17.02.2026 within a reasonable time as fixed by this Court.

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6. Heard both sides and perused the materials placed on record.

7. Considering the limited relief sought for in this writ petition, this Court without going into the merits of the case directs the first respondent to consider the representations of the petitioners dated 16.02.2026 and 17.02.2026 and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this Order.

8. Accordingly, this writ petition stands disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition stands closed.

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Speaking/Non-speaking order

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