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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 09.07.2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **HEMANT CHANDANGOUDAR**

W.P.Nos.17652 & 49811 of 2025
and
W.M.P.Nos.19940 & 55693 of 2025

W.P.No.17652 of 2025

K.Mohanasundram
S/o.Karuppasamy Gounder ... Petitioner

vs.

1. The Sub-Divisional Magistrate cum
Revenue Divisional Officer
Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizen Act
(Act-2007) Tribunal
Coimbatore North Division
Coimbatore.

2. Kulanthaiammal
W/o.Karuppasamy Gounder … Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of Certiorari, calling for the entire records of the 1st respondent in Na.Ka.No.3990/2024/A1 dated 30.12.2024 and to quash the

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same as arbitrary and unreasonable.

For Petitioner	:	Mr.K.Balasubramaniam
For Respondents	:	Mr.P.Siddarth Government Counsel, for R1 Ms.C.A.Sharmila, for R2

W.P.No.49811 of 2025

Kulanthaimmal
W/o.Late Karuppasamy Gounder ... Petitioner

vs.

1. The District Collector Coimbatore
cum Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and
Senior Citizens Appellate Tribunal
Coimbatore.

2. The Sub-Divisional Magistrate cum
Revenue Divisional Officer
Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizen Act
Coimbatore North Division
Coimbatore.

3. K.Mohanasundaram
S/o.Karuppasamy Gounder … Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of Certiorari, calling for the records of the first respondent in Order Na.Ka.No.CLRREV/5716/2025/Vu 2 dated 27.06.2025 and quash the same and direct redemption of the property in favour of the petitioner herein.

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For Petitioner : Ms.C.A.Sharmila

For Respondents : Mr.P.Siddarth
Government Counsel, for R1 & R2
Mr.K.Balasubaramaniam, for R3

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COMMON ORDER

The petitioner in W.P.No.49811 of 2025, who is the mother of the third respondent therein, challenges the order dated 27.06.2025 passed under Section 16 of the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007, whereby her request for enhancement of the maintenance amount was rejected.

2. The petitioner in W.P.No.17652 of 2025, who is the son of the second respondent therein, challenges the order dated 30.12.2024 passed by the first respondent directing him to provide separate residential accommodation to the second respondent and to pay the rental charges.

3. By order dated 23.01.2026, these matters were referred to the Tamil Nadu Mediation and Conciliation Centre, High Court, for an amicable

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resolution. Pursuant thereto, the parties have resolved their disputes and entered into a settlement agreement dated 29.06.2026. Under the terms of the settlement, the petitioner in W.P.No.17652 of 2025 has undertaken to take care of his mother, and the second respondent has accepted the said undertaking without insisting on any monetary claim. She has also agreed to withdraw all the allegations made against her son. The terms of the settlement are recorded in the settlement agreement dated 29.06.2026, a scanned copy of which is reproduced below for ready reference:

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SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

This SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT entered into on 29.6.2026 between

K. Mohana Sundaram

and

Kulanthaiammal

Whereas

1. Disputes and differences had arisen between the parties hereto and W.P.No.17652/25 was filed on 23.1.2025 before the High Court of Madras

2. The matter was referred to mediation vide an order dated 23.1.26 passed by The Honorable Mr. Justice. D Bharath Chakarvarthi

3. The parties agreed that Mr. Dayashankar would act as their Mediator

4. Several meetings were held during the process of Mediation from 5.2.2026 to 17.6.2026 and the parties have with the assistance of the Mediator voluntarily arrived at an amicable solution resolving the above mentioned disputes and differences

5. The parties hereto confirm and declare that they have voluntarily and of their own free will arrived at this Settlement Agreement in the presence of the Mediator

1. (Petitioner)

K. mohanasundaram

2. (Respondent)

Sd/ of Kulanthaiammal

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6. The following settlement has arrived at between the Parties hereto
   A. The petitioner (K. Mohana Sundaram) agreed to take care of his mother Mrs.Kulanthaiammal

   B. The 2nd Respondent Mrs.Kulanthaiammal also accepted her son offer to take care at home (Coimbatore) without any compensation

7. By signing this Agreement the Parties hereto state that they have no further claims or demands against each other with respect to W.P.No.17652/2026 (Case No) and all disputes and differences in this regard have been amicably settled by the Parties hereto through the process of Mediation

DATE: 29. 6. 2026.

PARTIES SIGNATURE	(Petitioner) K. Mohanasundaram	(Respondent) LTI of Kulanthaiammal
COUNSEL'S SIGNATURE	(Petitioner) R. Hemanthan 29/6/26.	(Respondent V. [signature] 8851/25 29/6/2026

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4. In view of the settlement agreement entered into between the parties before the Tamil Nadu Mediation and Conciliation Centre, the impugned orders dated 30.12.2024 and 27.06.2025 are liable to be set aside.

5. Accordingly, both the writ petitions are allowed, and the impugned orders dated 30.12.2024 and 27.06.2025 are set aside. The settlement agreement dated 29.06.2026 shall form part of this order, and the parties shall abide by its terms.

6. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petitions are closed. There shall be no order as to costs.

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