



W.P(MD)No.22716 of 2026

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 07.08.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

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D.Karthick

... Petitioner(s)

vs.

- 1.The District Collector,
Ramanathapuram District,
Collectorate,
Ramanathapuram.
- 2.The Additional Collector /Project Director,
District Rural Development Agency,
Ramanathapuram District,
Collectorate,
Ramanathapuram.
- 3.The Assistant Director of Panchayats (Auditing),
Rural Development and Panchayat raj Department,
Ramanathapuram District Collectorate,
Ramanathapuram.
- 4.The Block Development Officer,
Thiruvadanai Panchayat Union,
Thiruvadanai Block,
Ramanathapuram District.



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5.The Zonal Deputy BDO,
Thiruvadanai Panchayat Union,
Thiruvadanai Block,
Ramanathapuram District.

... Respondent(s)

PRAYER : Writ Petition, filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to consider the petitioner's representations dated 07.07.2026 and 23.07.2026 to the respondent Nos.1 to 5 in terms of the fourth respondent proceeding in Na.Ka.B4/2708/2025 dated 15.12.2025 and direct the fourth and fifth respondents to refund the petitioner's Earned Money Deposit (EMD) and Security Deposit (SD) amount with regard to the completion of civil works in the Vellaiyapuram Village Panchayat, Pullakadampan Village Panchayat and Pathanakudi Village Panchayat within a time frame by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Muruganantham

For R-1 to R-3 : Ms.J.Saranya, Government Advocate

For R-4 and R-5 : Mr.S.I.Muthaiah,
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to consider the petitioner's representations dated 07.07.2026 and 23.07.2026 submitted to respondent Nos.1 to 5, in terms of the



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proceedings of the fourth respondent in Na.Ka.No.B4/2708/2025, dated 15.12.2025, and consequently, direct respondent Nos.4 and 5 to refund the petitioner's Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) and Security Deposit (SD) amounts in respect of the civil works completed in Vellaiyapuram Village Panchayat, Pullakadampan Village Panchayat and Pathanakudi Village Panchayat, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner; Ms.J.Saranya, learned Government Advocate, who takes notice for respondent Nos.1 to 3; and Mr.S.I.Muthaiah, learned Additional Government Pleader, who accepts notice on behalf of respondent Nos.4 and 5.

3. By consent of both parties, this Writ Petition is taken up for final disposal at the stage of admission itself.

4. Considering the limited prayer sought for in this Writ Petition, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the petitioner's claim, the respondents are directed to consider the petitioner's representations dated 07.07.2026 and



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23.07.2026, in the light of the proceedings of the fourth respondent in Na.Ka.No.B4/2708/2025, dated 15.12.2025, and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, if the same have not already been considered.

5. With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

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NCC : Yes / No

Index : Yes / No

Internet : Yes

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