

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated : 12.06.2015

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The Honourable Mr. Justice T.S.SIVAGNANAM
and
The Honourable Mrs. Justice R.MALA

W.P.No.16734 of 2015

M.Selvam

.. Petitioner

-vs-

- 1.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. By its Secretary,
Dept. of Revenue (Land Development)
Fort St. George, Chennai.
- 2.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. By its Principal Secretary,
Public Works Department,
Fort St. George, Chennai.
- 3.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. By its Principal Secretary,
Dept. of Environment and Forest,
Fort St. George, Chennai.
- 4.The Commissioner of Land Administration,
Ezhilagam, Chepauk, Chennai.
- 5.The District Collector,
Collectorate, Krishnagiri, Krishnagiri District.
- 6.The Engineer-in-Chief (Water Resources
Organisation) and Chief Engineer (General),
Public Works Department, Chepauk, Chennai.
- 7.The Executive Engineer,
Water Resources Department,
Public Works Department,
Ground Water Division, Adaikala Nagar,
Hasthampatti, Salem.
- 8.The Sub Collector/Revenue Divisional
Officer, Hosur, Krishnagiri District.

9.The Tahsildar,
Thenkanikottai Taluk,
Krishnagiri District.

10.Ponnusamy

.. Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issue of writ of Mandamus to direct respondents 1 to 9 to take necessary steps to remove the unlawful encroachments over the writ petition mentioned Eri in S.No.400/1 of Hunumanthapuram, Arasajur Village of Irudukottai Post of Tenkanikottai Taluk, Krishnagiri District within a stipulated period and thereby restore the already earmarked lake (Eri) as disclosed in the revenue records to its original status as part of Government's rain water harvesting scheme and save Natural Resources.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.Pappaiah Dharmarajan

For Respondents : Mr.S.T.S.Moorthy, Govt. Pleader,
for RR 1, 2, 4 to 9.
: Mr.M.K.Subramanian,
Spl.G.P. For R-3

O R D E R

(Order of the Court was made by T.S.SIVAGNANAM, J.)

The Government has issued an order in G.O. (Ms.) No.540, Revenue (LD6(2)) Department, dated 04.12.2014, for constitution of Redressal Committees to dispose of grievances relating to eviction of encroachments. It appears, pursuant to the representation of the petitioner dated 05.11.2014, making a grievance that a portion of the Eri situated in S.No.400/1 at Hunumanthapuram, which is the main water resource used for agricultural purpose, is being encroached upon, proceedings have been initiated and pursuant to the issuance of notices dated 21.02.2015 to the encroachers, no further progress has been made.

2.Thus, we dispose of the writ petition by directing the authority concerned to proceed further in terms of the aforesaid G.O. No costs.

Sd/-

Asst.Registrar (CS II)

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Sub Asst. Registrar

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To

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- 1 cc to Mr.T.Pappaiah Dharmarajan, Advocate, Sr. 28876
1 cc to Spl.Government Pleader (F), Sr. 28569
1 cc to Government Pleader, Sr. 28616

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