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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 16.03.2015

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.RAJENDRAN

W.P. (MD) No.20458 of 2014

M.Singaram

: Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Secretary, Industries Department,
Fort.St.George, Chennai.

2.The District Collector,
Collector Office, Pudukkottai District.

3.The Tahsildar,
Thirumayam, Pudukkottai District.

4.The Assistant Director,
Geology and Mines and Mineral Department,
District Collectorate Office,
Pudukkottai District.

5.S.David Palanichamy

: Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for the issue of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondent Nos.1 and 2 to take appropriate action based on the petitioner's representation dated 04.08.2014 and consequently direct the first respondent to pay a just and fair compensation of Rupees Ten Lakhs.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Mohammed Kasim

For Respondent Nos.1 to4 : Mr.R.Karthikeyan
Additional Government Pleader

For R5 : No appearance

O R D E R

The petitioner submitted a representation on 04.08.2014, before the respondents 1 and 2, requesting to take necessary action against the fifth respondent for carrying on quarrying operation and seeking compensation of Rupees Ten Lakhs, for damaging his house. Since no action has been taken, the petitioner is now before this Court.

2. The fifth respondent herein has been served and Mr.K.K.Kannan, learned counsel, who appeared for the fifth respondent, has withdrawn his vakalat and even though, his name has been printed in the cause-list, he has not chosen to appear before this Court.



3. In view of the above, considering the limited scope of the prayer sought for by the petitioner and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the matter, a direction is issued to the first respondent to consider the representation of the petitioner, dated 04.08.2014, and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. The Writ Petition is disposed of on the above terms. No costs.

Sd/
Assistant Registrar

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sub Assistant Registrar(c.s)

To

1. The Secretary,
Industries Department, Fort.St.George, Chennai.

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District Collector Office, Pudukkottai District.

+1cc to Special Government Pleader in SR.No 12518.

+1cc to M/S. S.Mohammad kasim, Advocate in SR.No. 12542

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