

**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT****Dated : 24.08.2017****CORAM :**

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.K.SASIDHARAN
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN**

W.P (MD) No.6964 of 2013

E.Palanichamy

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.

2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Kovilpatti, Thoothukudi District.

3.The Tahsildar,
Ettaiyapuram Taluk,
Ettaiyapuram,
Thoothukudi District.

4.The President,
Vembur Panchayat Union,
Vembur, Ettaiyapuram Taluk,
Thoothukudi District.

5.Soundarapandian

6.Jayapaul

7.Muniasamy

8.Madasamy

9.Chellammal

10.Mary

11.Pulamadiammal

12.Chellamy Nadar

13.Thangakutti Nadar

14.Chinnadurai

15.Thangamandasamy

16.Seenivasan

17.Murugan

18.Jayapaul

19.Ramasamy

20.Thangakutty

21.Pancharaj

22.Periyandavar

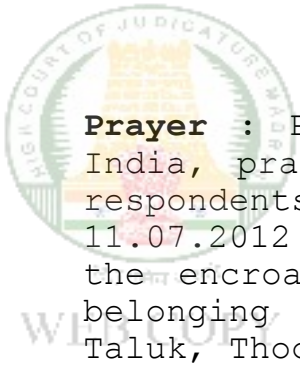
23.Periyasamy

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(R5 to R23 are impleaded as per Court

order dated 13.01.2015 in MP(MD)No.1 of 2013)

... Respondents



Prayer : Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 11.07.2012 and 12.10.2012 and to take appropriate action to remove the encroachments made in Nedungulam Kanmoi and other lands belonging to Alagapuri Village, Vembur Panchayat, Ettaiyapuram Taluk, Thoothukudi District.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.Santhoshkumar
 For Respondents : Mr.T.S.Md.Mohideen, AGP for RR1 to 3
 Mr.Karthick Raja
 for Mr.J.Gunaseelan Muthaiah for R4
 No appearance for RR5 to 23.

O R D E R

(Order of the Court was made by G.R.SWAMINATHAN, J.)

The writ petitioner seeks removal of encroachments committed in respect of certain water bodies in Alagapuri Village, Vembur Panchayat, Ettaiyapuram Taluk, Thoothukudi District.

2.Encroachers have also been made as parties to the writ petition. The writ petitioner has given representations dated 11.07.2012 and 20.09.2012 to the respondents. The third respondent is the authority competent to clear the encroachments.

3.This Court directs the third respondent to enquire into the matter and remove the encroachment in question, if any, as alleged by the writ petitioner. The third respondent shall issue notice to the encroachers and thereafter remove the encroachment. The entire exercise shall be completed within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4.This writ petition is disposed of with the above direction. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS-I)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

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2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
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3.The Tahsildar, Ettaiyapuram Taluk,
 Ettaiyapuram, Thoothukudi District.

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