

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 20.04.2018

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE T.RAJA

W.P.No.9844 of 2018

S.R.Jaganathan

.. Petitioner

Vs

1.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Mettur Dam-1,
Mettur Taluk, Salem District.

2.The Tahsildar,
Mettur, Salem District.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of mandamus to direct the second respondent to issue Natham house site patta in favour of the petitioner in respect of land in Survey No.325/3 (old natham survey No.141/1) to an extent of 1382 sq.ft. at Aavadathur Village, Mettur Taluk, by considering the petitioner's representation dated 27.02.2018.

For petitioner : Mr.M.Elango

For Respondents : Mr.D.Surya Narayanan, AGP

O R D E R

By way of filing this writ petition, the petitioner seeks a direction to the second respondent to issue Natham house site patta in his favour in respect of the land bearing Survey No.325/3 (old natham survey No.141/1) to an extent of 1382 sq.ft. at Aavadathur Village, Mettur Taluk, by considering his representation dated 27.02.2018.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner's parents had purchased a house property bearing Old Natham Survey No.144/1, to an extent of 1382 sq.ft., situated at Avadathur Village, Salem District. After the demise of the petitioner's father on 11.10.2009, the petitioner has been in continuous possession and enjoyment of the property for more than 20 years. However, he has not been granted with patta to the said property despite his representation dated 27.02.2018 for the same.

3. Mr.D.Surya Narayanan, learned Additional Government Pleader, by accepting notice for the respondents, sought for four weeks time to dispose of the pending representation dated 27.02.2018 of the petitioner.

4. In view of the above, considering the narrow prayer made by the petitioner, this Court, without going into the merits of the matter, directs the second respondent to pass orders on the representation dated 27.02.2018 of the petitioner on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. With this direction, the writ petition is disposed of. No Costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar (CS-VIII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Mettur Dam-1,
Mettur Taluk, Salem District.

2.The Tahsildar,
Mettur, Salem District.

+1cc to Mr.M.ELANGO, Advocate, S.R.No. 30484

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