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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED : 11.09.2018

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.M.SUNDRESH
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUMAR

W.P. (MD) No.19869 of 2017

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... Petitioner

-vs-

1.The District Collector, Madurai.

2.The District Revenue Officer, Madurai District.

3.The Tahsildhar, Vadipatti Taluk,
Madurai District.

4.The Superintendent of Police, Madurai District.

5.Chidhambaram

6.The Executive Engineer, PWD - WRO,
Groundwater Division,
PWD Complex, Thallakulam,
Madurai - 625 002.

... Respondents

(R6 impleaded as per order of this
Court dated 11.09.2018 made in
W.M.P. (MD) Nos.16618 & 17118 of 2017)

PRAYER : Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st and 2nd respondent to consider the Petitioner's representation dated 26.09.2017.

For Petitioner	:	Mr.R.Swaminathan
For Respondents 1 to 4	:	Mr.A.K.Baskarapandian
& 6	:	Special Government Pleader
For 5th Respondent	:	Mr.T.Chandrasekar

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by M.M.SUNDRESH, J.)

Alleging that indiscriminately water is being tapped and used for commercial purposes, a representation has been given by the petitioner on 26.09.2017. Thereafter, the present petition has been filed since the illegal tapping has been going on despite the representation.



2. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, the learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondents 1 to 4 & 6 and the learned counsel appearing for the respondent No.5.

3. Considering the submissions made on both sides, we direct the respondent Nos.3 and 6 to take appropriate action by considering the representation of the petitioner and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law within a period of two weeks 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-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS-II)

To

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+1CC to Mr.N.KARTHIK KANNA, Advocate, SR.No.84249

+1CC to the Special Government Pleader SR.No.84313

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