

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 04.06.2019

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THE HONOURABLE **MR.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI**

W.P.No.13854 of 2019

K.Ramasamy

...Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Secretary  
to Government of Tamilnadu  
Public Works Department  
Secretariat, Fort St. George  
Chennai 600 009

2.The District Collector  
Office of the District Collector  
Tiruppur District

... Respondents

**Prayer:** The writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of Mandamus, directing the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 28.03.2019 within a time stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Kalimuthu

For Respondents : Mr.Elumalai  
Government Advocate

**ORDER**

By consent, the Writ Petition itself is taken up for final disposal.

2.The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is the owner of the property by virtue of Registered sale deed (1) Doc.No.683/1981 dated 10.04.1981 on the file of Palladam SRO, executed by the legal heirs of the Murugasamy Gounder. The Agricultural land of the petitioner and the neighbouring lands were acquired by the Government during 1984 for the purpose of Aliyar PAP Canal Extension Scheme. Though the lands were acquired for the purpose of PAP Canal Extension Scheme, however, no compensation was paid to the petitioner.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner would further submit that the petitioner has also made a representation dated 28.03.2019 to the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent and the same is kept pending without any action till date. It would suffice, if a direction is issued to the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent to pass appropriate orders based on the representation made by the petitioner.

4.The learned Government Advocate on instructions would submit that he concedes the request made by the petitioner. The 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent shall pass appropriate orders within the time stipulated by this Court.

5.Considering the limited scope of the prayer sought for in the writ petition, this Court is inclined to direct the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent herein to consider the representation dated 28.03.2019, said to have been made by the petitioner and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6.The writ petition is disposed of accordingly. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition if any is closed.

**04.06.2019**

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**M.DHANDAPANI, J.**

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