

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 27.02.2020

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.D. AUDIKESAVALU

W.P. No. 4000 of 2020

N. Mahalingam

... Petitioner

-vs-

1. The District Collector/Arbitrator under National Highways Act,
Cuddalore - 607 001.

2. The Special District Revenue Officer (LA) & Competent
Authority,
NH 45 A, Cuddalore - 607 001. ... Respondents

Prayer:- Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the
Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus,
directing the First Respondent to hold enquiry upon the petition
filed by the Petitioner as against the order passed by the
Second Respondent in his Na. Ka. NH45A/LA/A1/32/2014 dated
12.07.2018.

For Petitioners : Mr. R. Gururaj

For Respondents : Mr. D. Raja,
Additional Government Pleader

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Learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the
Respondents, on instructions, submits that the enquiry on the
Petition dated 14.10.2019 made by the Petitioner for enhancement
of compensation in the arbitration proceedings has commenced on
26.02.2020 before the First Respondent and the same has been
adjourned, and that notice of next hearing would be issued to
all parties concerned including the Petitioners for the same.

2. The Petitioner and other concerned parties shall attend the
hearing on the said date as well as on the subsequent dates to
which it is adjourned and extend their co-operation for the
expeditious disposal of the matter. The First Respondent shall
ensure that there is atleast one effective hearing every week
showing progress of the case. After affording full opportunity
of hearing to all parties concerned, the First Respondent shall
consider each of the contentions raised by the parties and pass

reasoned orders on merits in accordance with law, and shall communicate the decision taken to the Petitioners under written acknowledgment and a report of such compliance shall be filed before the Registrar (Judicial) of this Court by 31.08.2020.

3. The Writ Petition is disposed on the aforesaid terms. No costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar (CS-III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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The Registrar (Judicial),
Madras High Court,
Chennai - 600 104.

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