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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 23.03.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.M.SUNDRESH

AND

THE HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE S.ANANTHI

W.P. (MD)No.12298 of 2020

(Through Video Conferencing)

K.Ponnaiah

: Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Commissioner of Land Administration
Ezhilagam Building,
Chepauk, Chennai.

2.The Commissioner of School Education,
College Road,
Chennai.

3.The District Collector
Theni, Theni District.

4.The District Revenue Officer,
Theni, Theni District.

5.The Sub Collector
Revenue Divisional Office,
Uthammapalayam
Theni District.

6.The Joint Director of School (Secondary Education)
College Road,
Chennai.

7.The Chief Educational Officer,
Theni, Theni District.

8.The Assistant Director of Panchayat,
Collector Office Building,
Theni, Theni District.

9.The District Educational Officer,
Uthammapalayam
Theni District.

10.The Tahsildar,
Uthammapalayam
Theni District.

11.The Block Development Officer (Village Panchayat)
Panchayat Union Office,



Chinnamanur
Uthammapalayam Taluk
Theni District.

12.The Headmaster
Government High School
Seepalakottai Village & Post
Uthammapalayam Taluk
Theni District.

13.The President,
Village Panchayat
Seepalakottai Village & Post,
Uthammapalayam Taluk
Theni District.

: Respondents

PRAYER: Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issue of a Writ of Mandamus to direct the respondents 1 and 3 to consider the petitioner's representation dated 12.08.2020 for transfer of 5 Acres of Village Natham land from out of 36.4078 Acres of land lying vacant in the light of the letter ஓ.மு.எண்12056/14/M2, dated 01.10.2014 of the 10th respondent and on the strength of the resolution No.22 dated 15.08.2017 of the 13th respondent Grama Sabha Meeting and in furtherance of the proceedings of the 3rd respondent in No.16188/2017/ஆ3 dated 05.02.2020 within the period as stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Ponnaiah
party in person
For Respondents : Mrs.S.Srimathy
Special Government Pleader

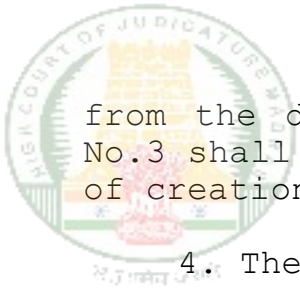
ORDER

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

The petitioner, who is a practising lawyer, has come forward to file this writ petition seeking a direction to consider the representation for transfer of lands to be used as a playground for the school.

2. Today, placing reliance upon the additional affidavit filed, the petitioner stated that lands are available in S.Nos.286/3, 283/4, 868/1. Therefore, these lands can be looked into for the aforesaid purpose.

3. Considering the said submission, the respondent No.3 is directed to issue notice to the petitioner indicating the date of inspection, so that the petitioner can accompany him. After the aforesaid exercise, which we expect it to be done within eight weeks



from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, the respondent No.3 shall take a call on the place to be identified for the purpose of creation of a playground.

4. The writ petition stands disposed of accordingly. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (ADII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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+1 CC to M/s.K.PONNIAH, Advocate (SR-13024[F] dated 23/03/2021)

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