



W.P.No.16568 of 2022

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 01.07.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

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And

W.M.P.Nos.15847 and 15848 of 2022

C.Bakthavatchalam

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.State of Tamil Nadu

Represented by the Secretary to Government,
Adhidraavidar and Tribal Welfare Department,
Fort St.George,
Chennai – 600 009.

2.Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Directorate

Represented by its Commissioner
Ezhilagam Annexe Building,
1st Floor, Kamarajar Salai,
Chepauk, Chennai – 600 005.

3.District Collector, Kancheepuram,

Vandavasi Road,
Kancheepuram District,
Tamil Nadu – 631 501.

4.District Revenue Officer,

Kancheepuram H.O.
Vandhavasi Road,
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5.Revenue Divisional Officer,
Kancheepuram H.O.
Vandhavasi Road,
Kancheepuram District,
Tamil Nadu – 631 501.

6.The Special Tahsildar
Adhidraavidar and Tribal Welfare Department
Taluk Office Compound,
Kancheepuram – 631 501.

7.Tahsildar
Uthiramerur Taluk,
Kancheepuram District,
Tamil Nadu – 603 406.

... Respondents

Prayer:

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to re-convey the lands comprised in Survey No.17/4 (0.45 Acres), 18/1 (0.35 Acres), 18/2 (0.40 Acres) and 18/3 (0.19 Acre) of Ammaiyappa Nallur Village, Uthiramerur Taluk, Kancheepuram and consequentially restrain the respondents 2-7 from delivery the house sites / lands situated within the above said survey numbers to the beneficiaries belonging to non-Adi Dravidar Communities / Government Employees and individuals who are not eligible to get house sites under the Harijan Welfare Scheme, 1979.



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For Petitioner : Mr.K.M.Mrithun Jayan
For Respondents : Mr.G.Krishna Raja
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner has filed this writ petition seeking issuance of Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to re-convey the lands comprised in Survey No.17/4 (0.45 Acres), 18/1 (0.35 Acres), 18/2 (0.40 Acres) and 18/3 (0.19 Acre) of Ammaiyappa Nallur Village, Uthiramerur Taluk, Kancheepuram and to consequentially restrain the respondents 2-7 from delivering the house sites / lands situated within the above said survey numbers to the beneficiaries belonging to non-Adi Dravidar Communities / Government Employees and individuals who are not eligible to get house sites under the Harijan Welfare Scheme, 1979.

2.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner's lands were acquired under the Harijan Welfare Scheme. The learned counsel further submitted that he is not pressing the first limb of the prayer sought for in this writ petition, however, since the respondents 2 to 7 are taking effective steps for delivering



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the acquired house sites / lands to the beneficiaries belonging to non-
Adi Dravidar Communities / Government Employees and individuals
who are not eligible to get house sites under the Harijan Welfare
Scheme, liberty may be granted to the petitioner to file appropriate
application before appropriate Forum.

3.In view of the above, this writ petition stands disposed of with
liberty to the petitioner to work out the remedy in the manner known
to law. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous
petitions are closed.

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Speaking Order/ Non Speaking Order
Index: Yes/ No
Internet: Yes/ No



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