



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 28.06.2022

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P.N.PRAKASH
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR**

**W.P. (MD)No.13404 of 2022
and WMP (MD) No.9513 of 2022**

V.Murugaiah : Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector
Tenkasi District
Tenkasi

2.The District Revenue Officer,
Tenkasi District
Tenkasi.

3.The Tahsildar
Kadayanallur Taluk
Kadayanallur
Tenkasi District

4.The Superintending Engineer,
(Construction)
Public Works Department
Trichy.

5.The Executive Engineer PWD-WRO
Upper Vaippar Basin Division
Rajapalayam 626 117
Virudhunagar District

: Respondents

PRAYER: Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus to forbear the respondents from taking 'Kolli Aaru' river water to Nagaram Periyakulam by retaining the name 'Paatai poramboke' instead of the changed name 'Canal Poramboke' in the revenue records for the S.No.361/2 in Malaiyandikurichi revenue village in Kadayanallur Taluk, in Tenkasi District.

For Petitioner
For Respondents

: Mr.F.X.Eugene
: Mr.SRA.Ramachandran
Additional Government Pleader



ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by P.N.PRAKASH, J.)

Alleging that the respondents are attempting to take 'Kolli Aaru' river water to Nagaram Periyakulam by retaining the name 'Paatai poramboke' instead of changed name 'Canal Poramboke' in the revenue records in S.No.361/2 in Malaiyandikurichi revenue village in Kadayanallur Taluk, in Tenkasi District, the present public interest litigation has been filed for a direction to forbear the respondents for doing the same.

2. On a perusal of the records, it is seen that this matter was considered by the District Collector way back in the year 2013 and an order has been passed, which has been enclosed by the petitioner in the typed set of papers.

3. In the opinion of this Court, a writ as prayed for cannot be granted in public interest because it is for the revenue authorities to decide about mutation of their records in a given circumstance.

4. In the result, this writ petition is devoid of merits and hence, it is dismissed. No costs. Consequently connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AD II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar (CS)

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+1 CC to M/s.F.X. EUGENE, Advocate (SR-28794[F] dated 29/06/2022)

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