



W.P(MD)No.18887 of 2022

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 18.08.2022

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN**

W.P(MD)No.18887 of 2022

and

W.M.P.(MD)No.13844 of 2022

R.Rajendran

... Petitioner

**Vs.**

1.The Government of Tamil Nadu represented  
by its Secretary, Agricultural Production Commissioner &  
Secretary to Government, Agricultural Department,  
Fort St.George, Secretariat, Chennai 600 009.

2.The Superintending Engineer (AE)  
No.15, Krishna Nagar,  
Manojipatti Road, Medical College Post,  
Thanjavur 613 004.

... Respondents

**Prayer** : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the 2nd respondent herein to settle the pending remaining amount of Rs.47,00,272 for construction of seed storage godown in Sikkal, of Nagapattinam Block, in Nagapattinam District with the assistance from (SMSP) 2019-20, and remaining amount of Rs.44,26,081 for construction of seed processing unit Godown in Sikkal, of Nagapattinam Block, in Nagapattinam District with the assistance from (SMSP) 2019-20 with an interest of 8 percent till the payment of money and within the time frame fixed by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.M.Rajarajan

For R1 & R2 : Mr.M.Sarangan  
Additional Government Pleader

**ORDER**

Heard the learned counsel appearing for the writ petitioner and the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents.

2. The petitioner had constructed two godowns for the second respondent. However, his bills have not been settled in full. Seeking payment of the balance amount, this writ petition has been filed.

3. The respondents seek twelve weeks to clear the balance amount.

4. Recording the said submission, the respondents are directed to pay the balance amount to the writ petitioner within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. If at the end of twelve weeks, the balance amount is not paid, it would carry interest.

5. The Writ Petition is allowed on these terms. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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