



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 07.06.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P. (MD)No.1177 of 2017

R.Rajendran

... Petitioner

Vs

1.The District Collector,
District Collector Office,
Madurai District.

2.The Tahsildar,
Madurai South Taluk,
Madurai District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent No.2 to grant patta to the petitioner's residential house situated in Door No.66G/1B, Koodalmalai Street, Tiruparankundram, Madurai South Taluk, Madurai District within the time frame stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.Lajapathi Roy
For Respondents : 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 case of the petitioner is that the subject property has been in possession of the petitioner and his forefathers for more than 50 years. The petitioner seeks grant of patta. He would further state that for the nearby lands pattas have been granted to the respective occupants. The petitioner only seeks parity of treatment and has given a representation on this regard.

3. Originally, the second respondent was the competent authority to consider the petitioner's representation to grant patta. Now, the area is falling within Thiruparankundram Taluk.



Therefore, the petitioner is permitted to make a fresh representation to the jurisdictional Tahsildar, Thiruparankundram Taluk. The said authority shall pass orders on the petitioner's representation on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks after receipt of such representation.

4. The Writ Petition is disposed of accordingly. There shall be no order as to costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS-III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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+1 CC to M/s.T.LAJAPATHI ROY, Advocate (SR-24499[F] dated 08/06/2022)

+1 CC to M/s.SPL.GP (SR-24887[F] dated 09/06/2022)

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