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W.P.No.29216 of 2017

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 11.12.2023

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P.VELMURUGAN

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and

WMP.No.31474 of 2017

- 1.R.Hari Ganesh
- 2.R.Kulothungan
- 3.S.Jayanthi
- 4.R.Prabhu
- 5.N.Ananth
- 6.Sowmya
- 7.S.Mahesh Anand
- 8.A.Loganathan
- 9.K.S.Swaminathan
- 10.Kasthuri Swaminathan
- 11.K.Satheesh
- 12.Waheeda Taj
- 13.N.Mala
- 14.N.Radha Ramana
- 15.P.Ranganathan
- 16.R.Sundaram
- 17.Venkateswaralu
- 18.Ezhilarasan
- 19.Subramanian

... Petitioners

Versus

- 1.Government of Tamil Nadu
Represented by Secretary to Government,
Highways Department,
Fort St.George,
Chennai – 600 009.



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2.The Collector of Chennai,
First Line Beach Road,
Chennai – 600 001.

3.The Special Tahsildar (L.A.),
Highways, Mambalam-Guindy Taluk,
Taluk Office Complex,
Ashok Nagar, Chennai.

4.The Divisional Engineer,
Highways (Project-I)
Highways Department,
Government of Tamil Nadu,
Chennai – 600 016.

5.Jai Shankar

6.Uma Muthulakshmi

7.R.S.Ramanujam

8.E.Krishna Reddy

... Respondents

PRAYER : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the Respondents 1 to 4 herein to pay the fair compensation under the Right to Fair compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act 2013 (Act 30/13) for the vacant lands in Survey No.249/2A, Plot No.381 (New), 37-D(Old), Velacherry Tambaram Main Road, Velacherry, Chennai – 600 042 in Village No.137, Mambalam Guindy Taluk, Chennai District to an extent of 12 ¼ cents acquired by the Highways (HW2) Department and for which lands possession was taken on 21.05.2005.



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For Petitioners : Mr. S. Sabarish,
for M/s. Rathi.

For Respondents : Mr. V. Veluchamy,
Additional Government Pleader (for R1 to R4)
: Not Ready in Notice (for R5 to R8)

ORDER

It is seen that this Writ Petition was already dismissed for non-prosecution on 08.02.2018 and thereafter, this Writ Petition was restored vide order dated 22.03.2018 in W.M.P.No.7094 of 2018 in W.P.No.29216 of 2017.

2. Thereafter, when the matter came up before this Court on 24.11.2023, there was no representation for the petitioners and this Court directed the Registry to list the matter under the caption “for dismissal” on 11.12.2023.

3. Today, when the matter is taken up for hearing, it is seen that the following endorsement has been made by the Registry in the notice paper dated 08.12.2023 :-

“ RR1 to RR8 Batta returned (deficit). Not yet
re-presented. No appearance. Not ready.”



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4. In view of the above, this Writ Petition is dismissed for default. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is also closed.

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Index : Yes/No

Speaking order : Yes/No

Neutral Case Citation : Yes/No

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