



W.P.No.29626 of 2023

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 12.10.2023

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR.SANJAY V.GANGAPURWALA, CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

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Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Commissioner
Revenue Administration & Disaster Management
Commissionerate of Revenue Administration
Ezhilagam, Chepauk, Chennai.
2. The District Collector
Collectorate, Chengalpattu District.
3. The Adidravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer
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District Collectorate Campus
Chengalpattu District.
4. The District Revenue Officer
DRO's Office, Chengalpattu Distirct.
5. The Thasildar
Taluk Office, Madurantakkam
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6. The Thasildar
Taluk Office, Cheyyur
Chengalpattu District.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 6 to cancel the patta granted to the encroachers in Survey Numbers.66/3, 70, 230, 231, 232, 234 and 235 of Kayanallur, Illedu and Madhura Villages at Chengalpattu District, evict them from the graze lands and hand over the 73.79 acres of land back to the Adi Dravidar people based on petitioner's written representation dated 02.05.2022.

For the Petitioner : Mr.Thangavadhanabalakrishnan

For the Respondents : Mr.P.Muthukumar
State Government Pleader
assisted by Mrs.R.Anitha
Special Government Pleader
for R1 to R6

ORDER

(Made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

Heard Mr.Thangavadhanabalakrishnan and Mr.P.Muthukumar,
learned State Government Pleader assisted by Mrs.R.Anitha, learned
Special Government Pleader for respondents 1 to 6.



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2. The petitioner is challenging the patta granted to individual persons, however, those persons to whom patta is granted, and the same is being assailed here, are not made as parties to the writ petition.

3. Such petition cannot be entertained. The patta is granted in favour of the persons in the year 1980 and the same is being assailed after a period of forty two years. Even otherwise, against the allotment of patta, the aggrieved party has the remedy of appeal under the Patta Passbook Act, 1983.

4. In view of that, the writ petition, as such, stands dismissed. There will be no order as to costs.

(S.V.G., CJ.)

(D.B.C., J.)

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Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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