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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 19.12.2023

CORAM :

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

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

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Poornachandran

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector
Office of the District Collector
Erode.
2. The Revenue Division Officer
Office of the Revenue Division Officer
Gobichettipalayam.
3. The Tahsildar
Taluk Office, Sathyamangalam.
4. The Assistant Engineer
Water Resources Department
Irrigation Division
Coimbatore Main Road, Sathyamangalam.
5. The Assistant Executive Engineer
Department of Water Resources
Canal Sub-Division
Gobichettipalayam – 638 476.



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6. The Executive Engineer
Water Resources Department
Kilbhavani Watershed Zone
Konavaikal, Erode.

7. Arumugam
8. Karuppusamy
9. Kannamal
10. Palanisamy
11. Duraisamy
12. Ravi
13. Subramaniam
14. Palanisamy
15. Subbulakshmi

.. Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 6 to pass orders on the petitioner's representation dated 07.06.2023 to remove the encroachment of respondents 7 to 15 and restore the PWD canal at Ariyappampalayam Village, Sathyamangalam Taluk.

For the Petitioner : Ms.S.R.Aadhi Sree

For the Respondents : Mr.K.Karthik Jagannath
Government Advocate
for R1 to R6

ORDER

(Made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

Heard Ms.S.R.Aadhi Sree, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.K.Karthik Jagannath, learned Government Advocate for respondents 1 to 6.



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2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that encroachment has been made on the Public Works Department canal near the land of the petitioner. Learned counsel further submits that representation has been given, but cognisance of the same has not been taken.

3. Learned Government Advocate refers to the Government Order bearing G.O.Ms.No.64 dated 08.02.2022 and submits that the petitioner may approach the Committee constituted under the said Government Order.

4. In the light of that, the present writ petition stands disposed of. The petitioner may approach the Committee, as constituted under G.O.Ms.No.64 dated 08.02.2022. There will be no order as to costs.

(S.V.G., CJ.)

(D.B.C., J.)

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