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W.P.(MD)NO.11234 OF 2019

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 11.01.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P.(MD)No.11234 of 2019 and
W.M.P.(MD)No.8574 of 2019

V.Kumaravadivel

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector,
Tirunelveli,
Tirunelveli District.

2. The District Adi Dravidar and Tribal
Welfare Officer,
Tirunelveli,
Tirunelveli District.

3. The Special Tahsildar,
(Adi Dravidar Welfare),
Sankarankovil,
Tirunelveli District.

4. Mariammal

5. Anitha Malarvizhi

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to cancel the allotment of plot Nos.28 and 29 situated in Survey No.369/2B, Venkadachalapuram, Panaiyur Village and Post, Sankarankovil Taluk, Tirunelveli District issued to the 4th and 5th respondents.



For Petitioner : Mr.R.J.Karthick

For R-1 to R-3 : Mr.B.Saravanan,
Additional Government Pleader.

For R-4 & R-5 : Mr.V.Selva

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ORDER

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2. The case of the writ petitioner is that two plots earmarked for the future needs of Adi Dravidar residential layout in Panaiyur Village had been illegally allotted in favour of the private respondents. The petitioner admittedly is not an allottee in the very same lay out. He is from the adjacent locality.

3. The writ petitioner's personal rights are not at stake. From a reading of the averments made in this writ petition, it appears to be a case of public interest litigation. Therefore, the Hon'ble Division Bench alone can consider the



petitioner's request. Leaving open all the petitioner's rights, this writ petition stands disposed of. I make it clear that I have not gone into the merits of the matter. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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NCS : Yes / No

Index : Yes / No

Internet : Yes / No

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