



W.P.(MD).No.13833 of 2020

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 21.08.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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P.Veeramasamy

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The District Collector,
Madurai District, Madurai.
- 2.The District Revenue Officer,
Madurai District, Madurai.
- 3.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Melur at Y.Othakadai,
Madurai District.
- 4.The Tahsildar,
Melur Taluk, Madurai District.
- 5.The Special Tahsildar,
Adi-Dravidar Welfare (Unit-II),
Madurai-625 020.
- 6.The Zonal Deputy Tahsildar,
Kottampatty, Melur Taluk,
Madurai District.
- 7.Yelammal
- 8.Pothumponnu



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9.Palanimurugan
10.Senthil Kumar
11.Madhavan
12.Palaniammal
13.Mallika
14.Vijaya
15.Valli
16.Periyasamy
17.Vasanthi
18.Saravanan

... Respondents

PRAYER : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a ***Writ of Mandamus***, to direct the 3rd respondent to expedite and complete his proceedings in Na.Ka.No.8/2020/A1, dated 06.03.2020, to cancel the patta which were granted illegally in favour of the respondents 7 to 8, based on the petitioner's representation, dated 28.02.2020, within a stipulated time fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.Veerakumar
For R1 to 6 : Mr.R.Suresh Kumar
Additional Government Pleader
For R7 to 18 : Mr.H.Arumugam

ORDER

This writ petition is filed for writ of Mandamus, to direct the 3rd respondent to expedite and complete his proceedings, dated 06.03.2020, to



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cancel the patta which were granted illegally in favour of the respondents 7 to 8, based on the petitioner's representation, dated 28.02.2020, within a stipulated time fixed by this Court.

2. The contention of the petitioner is that the land in Survey No. 281/B was allotted to Adi-Dravidar community people. Under the scheme, the respondents 7 to 18 were allotted in the space which was originally earmarked as land for common purpose. However, the learned Counsel appearing for the respondents 7 and 8 submitted that the land allotted to the respondents 7 to 18 was earmarked as land for future requirement.

3. It is seen that there are 4 allotments which is for the plot numbers, for common pathway, lands for future requirements and also for lands for common purpose.

4. Therefore, this Court without expressing any opinion is directing the 3rd respondent to consider the case of the petitioner as well as the



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respondents 7 to 18, after issuing notice to all the rival claimants, thereafter, conduct personal hearing and pass orders. The said exercise shall be completed within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. With the above said observation, the writ petition is disposed of.

No costs.

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NCC : Yes/No
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