



W.P(MD)No.13339 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 19.06.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.V.KARTHIKEYAN

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... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Thanjavur District,
Thanjavur.

2.The Competent Authority-cum-
Special District Revenue Officer (Land Acquisition)
National Highways No.45C,
Tamil Nagar,
Vilaman,
Thiruvarur District.

3.The Special Tahsildar(Land Acquisition)
National Highways No.45C,
Package No.2, Sri Nagar,
Main Road, Kumbakonam,
Thanjavur District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st respondent to dispose the petitioner's appeal dated 04.02.2022 for enhancement of compensation for acquiring the land in R.S.No.20/2 (as per present Sub Division 20/2B) of Senganoor Village, Thiruvudaimaruthur Taluk, Thanjavur District for the purpose of laying four way Lane in project Sethiyar Thoppu –



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Cholapuram Highway (NH-45C), within time frame as fixed by this Court.

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For Petitioner : Mr.AN.Ramanathan
For R1 to R3 : Mr.D.Farjana Ghousia
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

The writ petition has been filed in the nature of mandamus seeking a direction to the first respondent, the District Collector, Thanjavur, to dispose of an appeal dated 04.02.2022 seeking enhancement of compensation for acquisition of land in R.S.No.20/2, (as per present sub Division 20/2B) of Senganoor Village, Thiruvudaimaruthur Taluk, Thanajvur District.

2.The land had been acquired for laying four way lane in Project Sethiyar Thoppy – Cholapuram Highway, NH45-C.

3.A perusal of the records show that the first respondent had addressed a letter to the second respondent in மே.மு.ம.எண்.௦1 / 2 ௦ 2 2 ஜி1, dated 10.08.2022, in this regard.

4.The learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents states that the second respondent had not yet forwarded the report.

A direction is given to the second respondent, to forward the report as directed



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by the first respondent, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and thereafter, the first respondent on receipt of such report, may endeavour to dispose of the appeal within a further period of eight weeks. I consciously did not state the merits of the case, since it is under the purview of the second respondent.

With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

21.06.2023

NCC : Yes / No

Index : Yes / No

Internet : Yes/ No

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1.The Principal Secretary,
Municipal Administration and
Water Supply Department,
St.George Fort,
Secretariat, Chennai.

2.The Director/
Commissioner of Municipal Administration,
MRC Nagar,
Pattinampakkam,
Chennai-28.



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C.V.KARTHIKEYAN, J.

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**W.P(MD)No.1959 of 2023
and
W.M.P(MD)Nos.1728 and 1729 of 2023**

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