



W.P.(MD)No.14305 of 2015

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 28.11.2023

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.SANJAY V.GANGAPURWALA, CHIEF JUSTICE
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN**

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P.Arumugaraj

... Petitioner

-VS-

1. The District Collector,
Tuticorin District,
Tuticorin.
2. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Thiruchendur,
Tuticorin District.
3. The Tahsildar,
Sathankulam,
Tuticorin District.
4. The Assistant Director,
Mines and Minerals Department,
Tuticorin District,
Tuticorin.
5. The Commissioner,
Sathankulam Panchayat Union,
Sathankulam,
Tuticorin District.



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6. The President,
Arasur Panchayat Arasur,
Tuticorin District.

7. The Managing Director,
Beach Mineral Corporation (BMC),
Arasur,
Sathankulam Taluk,
Tuticorin District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 6 to close the Bore Wells erected by the 7th respondent in S.Nos.1488-1A-12B and 1489 1A-12C at Arasur Village, Santhankulam Taluk, Tuticorin District.

For Petitioner	: Mr.R.Murugappan
For R1 to R5	: Mr.P.Thilakkumar, Government Pleader
For R7	: Mr.M.Suresh Kumar

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by The Hon'ble CHIEF JUSTICE]

Heard Mr.R.Murugappan, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, Mr.P.Thilakkumar, learned Government Pleader appearing for respondent Nos.1 to 5 and Mr.M.Suresh Kumar, learned counsel appearing for respondent No.7.



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2. Learned Advocate for respondent No.7 and the learned Government Pleader submit that since the year 2017, the 7th respondent Corporation ceased to function and Bore Wells erected by the 7th respondent in S.Nos.1488-1A-12B and 1489 1A-12C at Arasur Village, Santhankulam Taluk, Tuticorin District, are also closed.

3. In view of the said submission, the purpose of the writ petition does not subsist.

4. The Writ Petition, accordingly, stands disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

[S.V.G., .C.J.]

[K.K.R.K., J.]

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