



W.P.(MD) No.23826 of 2022.

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 13.06.2023

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.V.KARTHIKEYAN

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M.Mahendran

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Office of the Revenue Divisional Office,
Periyakulam, Theni District.

2.R.V.R.Venkatasa Gopalan

3.The Special Tahsildar,
Town Survey,
Theni Allinagaram,
Theni.

.. Respondents

(R3 is impleaded vide Court order
dated 28.11.2022 in WMP(MD)No.
20530 of 2022)

Prayer :- Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India,
praying for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st respondent
herein to dispose the petitioner representation dated 11.08.2022 within
the time stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner	:	Mr.C.Jeganathan
For R1 & R3	:	Mr.N.Muthu Vijayan Special Government Pleader



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ORDER

This writ petition has been filed in the nature of a mandamus seeking a direction to the first respondent, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Periyakulam, Theni District, to dispose of an application filed by the petitioner was 11.08.2022.

2.In the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, it has been stated that the grandfather of the petitioner, Pommaya Thevar, was having landed property at S.No.191 at Allinagaram Village, Theni Taluk and District, measuring 1 acre and 20 cents. The grandfather and the father of the petitioner had sold 1 acre in favour of one Ayyammal on 19.04.1996. The remaining 20 cents had been retained by the father of the petitioner. The father had executed a settlement deed in favour of the petitioner on 21.07.2010. The petitioner claims to be in possession. However, in the Town Register, the name of one Venkatesa Gopalan was found. The petitioner had given a representation to the Revenue Divisional Officer, the first respondent. Notice had been directed to the second respondent. There has been no appearance on behalf of the



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second respondent. A direction is given to the first respondent to examine the representation given by the petitioner herein ensure that notice not only to the petitioner but also to the said Venkatesa Gopalan and obtain a report from the Tahsildar, who is impleaded as third respondent and pass appropriate orders on or before 31.08.2023.

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

13.06.2023

NCC : Yes/No

Index : Yes/No

Internet : Yes

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