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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **20.01.2023**

**CORAM :**

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KUMARESH BABU**

W.P.(MD)No.18537 of 2018

S.Suruliyappan ... Petitioner

**/Vs./**

1.The District Collector,
Theni District,
Theni.

2.The Special Tahsildar,
Adi Dravidar Welfare,
Theni District,
Theni. ... Respondents

**PRAYER:** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of of Mandamus directing the 2nd respondent to transfer the patta granted under Natham Scheme under the benefits of Adi - Dravidar Welfare in Poolanandapuram Village of Uthamapalayam Taluka of Theni District, by considering petitioner's representation dated 14.05.2018, within the period as stipulated by this Court.


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For Petitioner : Mr.A.Haja Mohideen
For Respondents : Mr.M.Prakash
Special Government Pleader

**ORDER**

This writ petition has been filed seeking for a direction to the second respondent to transfer the patta granted under Natham Scheme under the benefits of Adi - Dravidar Welfare in Poolanandapuram Village of Uthamapalayam Taluka of Theni District, by considering petitioner's representation dated 14.05.2018.

**2.** Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondents.

**3.** Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the petitioner is directed to make a fresh representation espousing his grievance to the first respondent herein within a period of two (2) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. On receipt of the same, the first respondent shall pass appropriate orders on merits and in


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accordance with law, after affording an opportunity to the petitioner as well as rival claimants, if any, within a period of eight (8) weeks thereafter.

**4.** With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

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NCC : Yes/No
Index : Yes/No
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**K.KUMARESH BABU, J.**

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