



W.P.No.35241 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 02.01.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.VELMURUGAN

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W/o.Mani (Late)

... Petitioner

versus

1. The District Collector,
Chengalpattu District.

2. The Tahsildar,
Thirukkalukundram Taluk,
Chengalpattu District.

.....Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the 2nd respondent to issue a joint patta for the properties bearing (i) New Survey No.168/7A, Old Survey No.168/7A, to an extent of 0.250 sq.mtr and (ii) New Survey No.401/29, Old Survey No.150/7A2(P) to an extent of 0.55 sq.mtr totally to an extent of 305 sq.mtr situated at Nenmeli Village, Thirukkalukundram Taluk, Chengalpattu District by considering the petitioner's representation dated 24.08.2023 within a time limit to be stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Vijayaragavan

For Respondents : Mr.A.Selvendran
Special Government Pleader

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ORDER

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Mr.A.Selvendran, learned Special Government Pleader accepts notice for the respondents. By consent of both parties, the main writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

2. This writ petition has been filed seeking for a mandamus directing the second respondent to consider the representation dated 24.08.2023, wherein and whereby, she sought for issuance of a joint patta in respect of the properties bearing (i) New Survey No.168/7A, Old Survey No.168/7A, measuring an extent of 0.250 sq.mtr and (ii) New Survey No.401/29, Old Survey No.150/7A2(P) measuring an extent of 0.55 sq.mtr totally measuring an extent of 305 sq.mtr situated at Nenmeli Village, Thirukkalukundram Taluk, Chengalpattu District.

3. The main grievance of the petitioner is that even though the representation has been made on 24.08.2023, till date the respondents have not taken any action on the said representation.

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4. This Court, at this stage, is not expressing any view on the merits of the matter, as it is for the second respondent to consider and decide the same on merits and in accordance with law. Since the limited prayer sought for in this writ petition is for disposal of the representation, this Writ Petition is disposed of, by directing the second respondent to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 24.08.2023 and pass appropriate orders on the same on merits and in accordance with law, after giving due opportunity of hearing to the petitioner as well as the rival claimants / interested parties, if any. Such exercise shall be done by the second respondent within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. There shall be no order as to costs.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking Order/Non-Speaking Order
Neutral Citation Case : Yes/No
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To

1. The District Collector, Chengalpattu District.

2. The Tahsildar

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