



W.P(MD)No.15870 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 16.07.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P(MD)No.15870 of 2024

M.Rajangam

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector cum
Arbitrator,
National Highways,
O/o.Collectorate,
Tiruchirappalli.

2.National Highways Authority of India,
Represented by its
Project Director,
Tiruchirappalli – Chidambaram NH 227,
Villupuram District.

3.The Competent Authority,
Special District Revenue Officer,
National Highways 227 (Land Acquisition),
Collector Office Old Building,
Tiruchirappalli.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the first respondent to expedite the arbitral proceedings in Na.Ka.COLREV-COLR/46/2024 dated 26.02.2024, which is pending on the file of the first respondent under



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Section 3G(5) of National Highways Act, 1956 within a stipulated time as fixed by this Court based on the petitioner's representation dated 22.11.2023.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Ramanathan

For Respondents : Dr.R.Rajagopal

ORDER

Heard both sides.

2.The petitioner's land was acquired. Award was passed. The petitioner seeks enhancement. The first respondent has to pass order.

3.The first respondent is directed to dispose of the petition mentioned arbitral proceedings and pass final order on merits and in accordance with law within a period of five months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4.This writ petition is disposed of accordingly. There shall be no order as to costs.

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