



W.P.(MD) No.24168 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 15.10.2024

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.SUBRAMANIAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE L.VICTORIA GOWRI**

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C.Ramkumar

... Petitioner

-VS-

1.The Secretary,
O/o. The Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department,
Fort St. George,
Chennai – 600 009.

2.The District Collector,
O/o. District Collector,
Madurai District.

3.The District Revenue Officer,
Sivagangai District,
Sivagangai.

4.The Additional Collector/Project Director,
District Rural Development Agency,
Collectorate, Madurai – 625 020.

5.The Block Development Officer,
O/o. Block Development Officer,
Melur Taluk, Melur Town,
Madurai District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to reconstruct the residential scheme house – Type “RHH” constructed by the Tamil Nadu State



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Government under in the year 1985 – 1986, situated at Indira Colony, Melur Panchayat Union, Melur Taluk, Madurai District, on the basis of the petitioner's representation dated 14.05.2024.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Ponniah
For Respondents : Mr.P.Thilakkumar
Government Pleader

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by R.SUBRAMANIAN, J.]

Mr.P.Thilakkumar, learned Government Pleader takes notice for the respondents.

2.Though the learned Government Pleader would submit that the houses were constructed in 1985 – 1986 and handed over to the allottees and it is for them to look after the maintenance of the house, it is seen from the correspondence that there is a scheme for repairing or reconstructing the house under the Rural Repair House Scheme. The letter of the Block Development Officer dated 15.04.2024, shows that a census has been conducted and required proposal has been sent to the Government.

3.The Secretary, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department is required to take a call on the issue and inform the petitioner accordingly. Let the needful be done within a period of 8 weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.



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4.The Writ Petition stands disposed of with the above observation. No Costs.

[R.S.M., J.]

[L.V.G., J.]

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NCC : Yes/No
Index : Yes/No
Internet : Yes
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