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W.P.(MD)NO.29167 OF 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 06.12.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

W.P.(MD)No.29167 of 2024

V.Duraipandi

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector / Monitoring Committee,
District Collector Office, Velunachiar Campus,
Dindigul.

2. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Dindigul, Dindigul District.

3. The Tahsildar,
Nilakkottai Taluk,
Dindigul District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to maintain and restore the water channel in survey numbers starting from 323, 317, 318, 312, 311, 296, 299 ends in survey No.293 with pond in Musuvanoothu Revenue Panchayat, Kalkottai Village, Nilakkottai Taluk, Dindigul District as per village map by considering the petitioner's representation dated 19.10.2024.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Anbuchelvam

For Respondents : Mr.K.Balasubramani,
Special Government Pleader.

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**ORDER**

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Heard both sides.

2. It is not in dispute that through the petition-mentioned survey numbers, a channel is seen to run. The petitioner alleges that there are encroachments. He wants the same to be cleared and the water channels should be restored and maintained as such.

3. When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned Special Government Pleader on instructions from the Tahsildar, Nilakkottai submitted that the survey is to be held on 30.12.2024.

4. We direct the respondents to maintain the integrity of the water body as seen in the revenue record as such. This writ petition stands allowed accordingly. No costs.

(G.R.SWAMINATHAN, J.) & (B.PUGALENDHI, J.)

6th December 2024

NCC : Yes / No

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Internet : Yes / No

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