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W.P. No.20207 of 2016

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 16.12.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE V. LAKSHMINARAYANAN

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P.Manickavelu,
S/o.Late Petha Gounder, No.12, Pethan
Valaivu, Avadathur Village, Savariyoor Post,
Mettur Taluk, Salem District- 636 501

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1.The District Collector,
Salem.

2.Block Development Officer,
Nangavalli, Salem District

3.The President,
Avadathur Panchayat, Savariyoor Post,
Galakandapuram Block,
Salem District- 636 501.

4.The Tahsildar,
Tahsildar Office, Mettur,
Salem District- 636 401.

Respondent(s)

For Petitioner(s) : Ms.Pramila
for Mr.P.Nethaji

For Respondent(s) : Mr.L.S.M.Hasan Faizal
Additional Government Pleader



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ORDER

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The Collector, Salem District, has filed a status report stating that the survey of the property has been completed on 03.11.2025 and a report has been placed before her on 13.11.2025. The Collector has further stated that the 4th respondent is the competent authority under the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition and Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013. She seeks six months time to complete the process.

2. The writ petition had been pending from the year 2016. Nine years and more have gone by and still the petitioner has not been paid the compensation. The Collector shall take rigorous steps to ensure completion of the acquisition proceedings.

3. To monitor the progress, list the matter on 20.01.2026.

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