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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 31.07.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR.MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA,

CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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R.Periyasamy

.. Petitioner

-VS-

1. The District Collector,
Kallakuruchi District.
2. The Assistant Engineer,
Department of Water Resource Management,
Public Works Department,
Gomukhi Dam Division, Chinna Salem Taluk,
Kallakuruchi District.
3. The Tahsildar,
Office of Tahsildar,
Chinna Salem (TK),
Kallakuruchi District.
- 4.The Village Administrative Officer,
Chinna Salem Taluk,
Kallakuruchi District.
5. Natarajan

.. Respondents



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Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the 3rd respondent/Tahsildar to remove encroachment in the Government poramboke on the natural stream located in Survey No.20/3, 21/3 and 20/4 at Malliyampadi Village, Chinnasalem Taluk, Kallakuruchi District with due process of law within the time stipulation as prescribed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Naveen
for Mr.R.Ramyha Thiyarathi

For Respondents : Mr.A.Edwin Prabakar
State Govt. Pleader
Asst. by Mr.M.Habeeb Rahman,
Govt. Advocate for RR 1 to 4
: Mr.L.Santhosh Kumar for R-5

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ORDER

(Order of the Court was made
by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

This public interest litigation seeks a direction for removal of encroachment.

2. From the two status reports filed by the official respondents, it is apparently clear that various surveys have been conducted, show cause notices issued and proceedings are still pending consideration.



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3. In that view of the matter, we are not inclined to keep this petition pending and dispose of the same giving liberty to the authorities to pass appropriate orders in accordance with law. If anyone is aggrieved by the said order, it will be open for them to take such a remedy as may be available to them under the law.

There shall be no order as to costs.

(MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA, CJ.)(SUNDER MOHAN, J.)
31.07.2025

Index : Yes/No
Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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To

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