



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 21-08-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE N. MALA

WP No. 31195 of 2025

1. P.K.Ganesan

S/o Late Karupannagounder

Karupannagounder Thottam

Sundamuthur Road Uniyamuthur Taluk

Coimbatore 641 108

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Additional Chief Secretary

Secretary To Governemtn Housing And

Urban Development Government Of

Tamil Nadu Fort St. George, Kamarajar

Salai Chennai

2.The Director

Directorate Of Town And Country

Planning, Dtct, Cmda Office Complex

E And C Market Road,

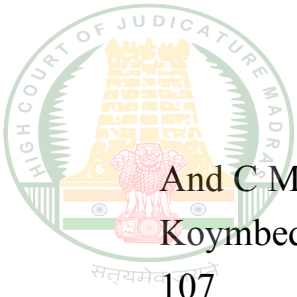
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3.The Joint Director

Directorate Of Town And Country

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4. Assistant Director
Directorate Of Town And Country
Planning Dtcp. Cmda Office Complex,
E Nd C, Market Road,
Virrugambakakm Koymbedu Cheeai,
Tamil Nadu 600 107

5. The Joint Director, Member Secretary
The Coimbatore District Town And
Country Planning Office Ground Floor
And First Floor, Door No 50 Fci Road
Gandhimanagar, Ganapathy
Coimbatore 641 004

6. The District Collector Coimbatore
Coimbatore Collectorat Office,
Coimbatore

Respondent(s)

PRAYER

Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying
for a writ of mandamus directing the 5th respondent to consider and to dispose
the Application of the petitioner dated 10.05.2024 within a stipulated time frame
fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner(s): R.Ganesan



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N. Mahendra Babu
Varun Muthukumar
T3, Krishna Apartments

For Respondent: Mrs.P.Vijayadevi, GA for RR 1
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ORDER

- (1) Mrs.P.Vijayadevi, learned Government Advocate accepts notice on behalf of the respondents 1 to 6. With the consent of the learned counsels on either side, the writ petition itself is taken up for final disposal.
- (2) The writ petition is filed for a mandamus directing the 5th respondent to consider and dispose of the petitioner's application dated 10.05.2024 within a stipulated time frame to be fixed by this Court.
- (3) The petitioner filed an application on 10.05.2024 for conversion of his agricultural lands to housing site. The petitioner states that for the adjacent lands and contiguous property owned and possessed by the petitioner, the respondents had granted permission for conversion. The petitioner further states that for reasons best known to the respondents, the respondents have kept the aforesaid application pending for over one year. The petitioner was therefore, constrained to file the above writ petition for the aforesaid relief.



(4) Heard the learned counsels on either side and also perused the materials placed on record.

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(5) In view of the limited prayer in the writ petition and considering that the petitioner's application is kept pending for more than one year, a direction is issued to the 5th respondent, to consider and pass orders on petitioner's application dated 10.05.2024, on merits and in accordance with law within a period of eight weeks, from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

(6) The writ petition is **disposed of with the above direction.** No costs.

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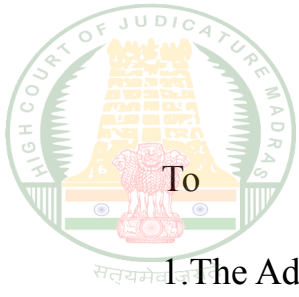
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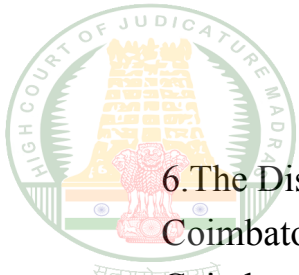
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