



Writ Petition No.31608 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED 25.08.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

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Mr.S.Selvakumar,
S/o.Subramaniya Gounder

...Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector,
The Office of the Collectorate,
Coimbatore – 18.

2. The Tahsildar,
Office of the Tahsildar,
Pollachi – 642 001.

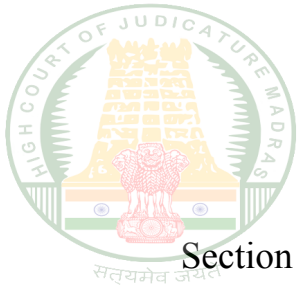
3. M.Moorthy,
S/o.K.P.Mariappa Gounder

4. M.Sababathy,
S/o.Maariyappa Gounder

5. S.Senthilvel,
S/o.M.Sababathy

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 and 3 to consider the petitioner's representation dated 03.07.2025 and to take action against respondents 3 to 5, besides initiating prosecution for the offenses under



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Section 7(2) of the Tamil Nadu Irrigation Works (Construction of Field Bothies) Act, 1959, Act No.25 of 1959 and Section 326(A) of BNS as per the recommendation of the Assistant Engineer (PWD) and the Executive Engineer (PWD) vide their respective letters dated 27.09.2019 and 06.11.2019 within the time stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.B.Thirumalai

For Respondents : Mr.R.Murthi
Government Advocate [R1 & R2]

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed seeking issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondents 1 and 2 to consider the representation made by the petitioner on 03.07.2025 and to take action against respondents 3 to 5 under the provisions of Tamil Nadu Irrigation Works (Construction of Field Bothies) Act, 1959.

2. Heard Mr.B.Thirumalai, learned counsel for petitioner and Mr.R.Murthi, learned Government Advocate appearing for respondents 1 and 2.

3. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case



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and without going into the merits of the case, it will suffice if a direction is given to the respondents 1 and 2 to deal with the representation of the petitioner dated 03.07.2025 after affording opportunity to the respondents 3 to 5 and take a decision within a period of eight (8) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

This writ petition is disposed of with the above direction. No costs.

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Speaking/Non-speaking order

Index : Yes / No

Neutral Citation : Yes / No

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