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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 19.11.2025

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THE HONOURABLE Mr. JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

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**W.P.No.44102 of 2025 :**

Jayaraman

.... Petitioner

Vs

- 1.The District Collector  
Office of the District Collector  
Cuddalore District – 607 001.
- 2.The Revenue Divisional Officer  
Office of the Revenue Divisional Officer  
Vridhachalam Division  
Cuddalore District – 606 001.
- 3.The Tahsildar  
Taluk Office  
Vridhachalam Taluk  
Cuddalore District – 606 001.



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4.The Firka Surveyor

Office of the Assistant Director of Survey  
and Land Records

Vridhachalam Taluk,  
Cuddalore District – 606 001.

... Respondents

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to forthwith conduct the field boundary measurement and demarcation of the petitioner's land comprised in Survey No.15/1B1, Irulakurichi Village, Vridhachalam Taluk, Cuddalore District, based on the petitioner's application No.2025/0123/18/014458 dated 05.08.2025 and pass orders.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Elumalai

For Respondents : Mr.C.Jayaprakash  
Government Advocate for R1 to R4

**W.P.No.44124 of 2025 :**

M.Margasagayan

.... Petitioner



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1.The District Collector  
Office of the District Collector  
Chengalpet District.

2.The Tahsildar  
Madurantakam Taluk  
Chengalpet District.

3.The Head Surveyor  
O/o. The Tahsildar,  
Madurantakam  
Madurantakam Taluk  
Chengalpet District.

4.The Village Administrative Officer  
O/o. The VAO  
Thimmapuram Village  
Madurantakam Taluk  
Chengalpet District.

5.Nagarajan

6.Kotteeswaran

... Respondents

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to act upon my representation dated 23.08.2025 by measuring and marking the four side



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boundaries of petitioner's land comprised in Survey No.18/3A and 18/3B of  
Thimmapuram Village, as per the patta and document which stands in  
M.Margasayagam vide the Application No.2025/0123/35/007688 applied by  
M.Margasagayam and pass orders.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sivapandi

For Respondents : Mr.P.Ganesan  
Government Advocate for R1 to R4

**W.P.No.44229 of 2025 :**

Jayaraman

.... Petitioner

Vs

The Tahsildar  
Nallampalli  
Dharmapuri District.

... Respondent

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying  
to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondent to consider and pass  
orders on the petitioner's representation dated 09.10.2025 with regard to survey  
and fix boundary stones in the petitioner's proeprty as per the registered sale



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deed bearing Document No.1560 of 2022 dated 17.03.2022 comprised in  
Survey No.606/3 to an extent of 6322 sq.ft. is situated at Thadangam Village,  
Nallampalli Taluk, Dharmapuri District within a stipulated time as fixed by this  
Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.M.Jayachandran

For Respondent : Mr.P.Ganesan  
Government Advocate

**W.P.No.44268 of 2025 :**

1.Natarajan  
2.N.Santhi

.... Petitioners

Vs

1.The Revenue Divisional Officer  
Vellore Revenue Division  
Vellore.

2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police  
Ambur  
Vellore District.

3.The Tahsildar  
Anaicut Taluk  
Vellore District.

4.The Inspector of Police

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Veppankuppam Police Station  
Vellore District.

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5.Chitra

... Respondents

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the third respondent to conduct a survey in respect of the land comprised in Survey No.848/3, measuring an extent of 390 sq.mt of land, situated at Agaram Village, Anaicut Taluk, Vellore District, with adequate police protection based on the second petitioner's online application dated 05.08.2025, vide Application No.2025/N123/04/003486, within a stipulated time and pass orders.

For Petitioners : Mr.C.Prabakaran

For Respondents : Mr.G.Jayachandran  
Government Advocate for R1 to R3

Mr.L.Baskaran  
Government Advocate for R4

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1.P.Paramasivan  
2.P.Subhaashini

.... Petitioners

Vs

1.The District Collector  
Salem District  
Salem.

2.The Tahsildar  
Gengavalli Taluk Office  
Gengavalli Taluk  
Salem District.

3.The Taluk Head Surveyor  
Department of Survey and Settlement  
Gengavalli Taluk Office  
Gengavalli Taluk  
Salem District.

... Respondents

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondent No.2 & 3 to conduct survey and measurement of the petitioners' agricultural lands in Survey Nos.12/3, 13/1A, 13/1B, 13/2B2 and 21/3B situated at Naduvalur Village, Gengavalli Taluk, Salem District, covered under Patta Nos.4970, 4969 and 4968

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based on the online application dated 30.07.2025 bearing Application  
No.2025/0123/08/011996, within a time frame that may be stipulated by this  
Court and pass orders.

For Petitioners : Mr.K.R.Samratt

For Respondents : Mr.Naveen Kumar  
Government Advocate for R1 to R3

**W.P.No.44320 of 2025 :**

N.Chennammal

.... Petitioner

Vs

1.The District Collector  
Collectorate Building  
Dharmapuri District.

2.The Tahsildar  
Harur Taluk  
Dharmapuri – 636 903.

3.The Special Tahsildar for SC and  
ST Welfare Department  
Harur Taluk  
Dharmapuri – 636 903.



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4. The Head Surveyor  
Harur Taluk  
Dharmapuri – 636 903.

... Respondents

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> respondents to survey the petitioner's property and earmark the boundary for fencing property pursuant fees paid by e-challan dated 02.09.2025 and also sent the representation dated 22.9.2025 to measure the property in connection with Patta No.30 and Survey No.81/2B which was located at the Sendrayampatti Revenue Village which comes under the Naripalli Panchayat, Harur Taluk, Dharmapuri District and pass orders.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Rajavel

For Respondents : Mrs.S.Inthu Bala  
Additional Government Pleader [R1 to R4]

**W.P.No.44345 of 2025 :**

1.A.Kanagaraj  
2.A.Dinakaran

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3.A.Nagaraj  
4.A.Soundararajan  
5.A.Sekar  
6.A.Elangovan

.... Petitioners

Vs

1.The District Collector  
Collectorate Office  
Chengalpattu District.

2.The District Revenue Officer  
Chengalpattu District.

3.The Revenue Divisional Officer  
Madhurandhagam  
Chengalpattu District.

4.The Tahsildar  
Cheyyur Taluk  
Chengalpattu District.

5.The Village Administrative Officer  
Pannaiyur Village  
Chengalpattu District.

6.The Land Surveyor  
Cheyyur Taluk  
Chengalpattu District.

7.D.Jaishankar

... Respondents



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**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus to direct the 6<sup>th</sup> respondent herein to survey the land belongs to the petitioners, situated in Old S.No.140/3, New S.No.140/3A, Pannaiyur Village, Cheyyur Taluk, Chengalpattu District – 603 302 and pass orders.

For Petitioners : Mr.Vishnu V.R.

For Respondents : Mr.N.Naveen Kumar  
Government Advocate [R1 to R6]

**W.P.No.44378 of 2025 :**

1.A.Kanagaraj  
2.A.Raman  
3.A.Lakshmanan  
4.A.Manibalan

.... Petitioners

Vs

1.The Collector of Kallakurichi District  
Collectorate, Kallakurichi.

2.The District Revenue Officer  
Kallakurichi.

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3.The Revenue Divisional Officer  
Cuddalore  
Cuddalore District.

4.The Assistant Director of  
Survey and Land Reforms  
Collectorate Office  
Kallakurichi.

5.The Revenue Tahsildar  
Kalvarayan Hills Taluk  
Kalvarayan Hills  
Kallakurichi District.

... Respondents

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondent 4 & 5 to survey the petitioner's lands measuring an extent of 2 acres 40 cents, comprised in Survey No.3/3A in Vandagapadi Village, Kalvarayan Hilla Taluk, Kallakurichi District, as per the deed of Gift Settlement dated 26.04.2023, registered as Document No.1125 of 2023 on the file of the Sub Registrar Office, Vadakananthan in favour of the petitioners by their parents and also as per Patta No.187, and to measure the boundaries and fix the measurement stone on the edges of boundaries in the above lands, as per the petitioner's application No.2025/0123/33/005635 dated 26.02.2025 submitted to the fourth respondent



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with police protection and pass orders.

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For Petitioners : Mr.T.Dhanasekaran

For Respondents : Mr.D.Ravichander  
Special Government Pleader [R1 to R5]

**W.P.No.44399 of 2025 :**

Basuvaraj

Vs

.... Petitioner

- 1.The District Collector  
District Collectorate Office  
Dharmapuri District.
- 2.The Revenue Divisional Officer  
RDO Office  
Dharmapuri District.
- 3.The Tahsildar  
Taluk Office  
Palacode Taluk  
Dharmapuri District.
- 4.The Land Surveyor  
Tahsildar Office  
Palacode Taluk  
Dharmapuri District.
- 5.The Village Administrative Officer  
Ammanimallapuram Panchayat Village

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Palacode Taluk  
Dharmapuri District.

6.Muniraj  
7.Mmorthy

... Respondents

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the 3<sup>rd</sup> respondent to consider and dispose petitioner's representation dated 13/10/2025 requesting to survey and to issue individual patta & chitta to petitioner's agricultural land comprised in Survey Nos.465/2, 496/2A and 496/2D situate at Gujjarahalli Revenue Village, Palacode Taluk, Dharmapuri District, admeasuring a total extent of 74 cents, as per the revenue records, within the time frame to be fixed by this Court and pass orders.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Rameshkumar

For Respondents : Mr.P.Ganesan  
Government Advocate for R1 to R5

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A.Chitra

.... Petitioner

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Salem – 636 001  
Salem District.
- 2.The Thasildar  
Taluk Office  
Salem West Taluk  
Salem District – 636 009.
- 3.The Head Surveyor  
Survey Department  
Salem West Taluk  
Salem District – 636 009.
- 4.The Inspector of Police  
Kondalampatti Police Station  
Salem  
Salem District.

5.P.Venkatesh

... Respondents

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the 2<sup>nd</sup> and respondents to conduct survey and fix boundary stones in Survey No.6/3B2 and 6/3C1 in Sowthapuram Village, Salem Taluk and District and also issue separate patta to the petitioner within a time frame as stipulated by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.P.Kannankumar

For Respondents : Mr.C.Jayaprakash  
Government Advocate for R1 to R3  
Mr.L.Baskaran  
Government Advocate (Crl.Side) for R4

### **COMMON ORDER**

In all these writ petitions, the petitioners have sought for considering the applications submitted by them and they are seeking for survey of the subject property and for demarcation of boundaries within a time frame fixed by this Court.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side.

3.In all these writ petitions, the writ petitioners are relying upon title documents/pattas/joint pattas/pattas standing in the name of the predecessor-in-title/pattas standing in the name of the family members, etc. and they have submitted the applications after paying necessary charges, seeking for survey of the subject property and for demarcation of boundaries.



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4. In some of the cases, in the light of certain objections raised by the rival parties/neighbours, they have also sought for police protection, at the time of conducting the survey.

5. In the considered view of this Court, since the issues involved are common in all these writ petitions, these writ petitions can be disposed of in the following terms:

- (a) It is left open to the concerned Tahsildar/Surveyor to take note of the title documents relied upon by the parties and the pattas/joint pattas that are also relied upon in some of the cases.
- (b) The Tahsildar/Surveyor concerned shall act upon the online application submitted by the respective petitioners and shall conduct survey in the subject property, in line with the title documents and the pattas that are relied upon by the respective parties and complete the survey, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.
- (c) Wherever there are rival claimants, unless they have obtained any



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restraint order from any Civil Court, such survey shall be conducted in their presence.

- (d) Wherever the Tahsildar/Surveyor is of the opinion that they would require police aid for the purpose of conducting the survey in a peaceful manner, the concerned jurisdictional police shall grant police protection at the time of conducting the survey.
- (e) It is made clear that in each case where the parties are seeking for survey of the respective subject properties, they should have made an online application and if such online application has not been made, the respective petitioners are directed to make the online application and on receipt of the same, the Tahsildar/Surveyor concerned shall act upon the same, in the light of the above directions issued by this Court.
- (f) It is made clear that the directions issued by this Court will pertain only for conducting the survey over the subject property and it will not entitle any parties to fence or put up a compound wall around the properties, more particularly, in cases where there are rival claims.



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6. All these writ petitions are disposed of in the above terms. No costs.

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