



W.P. Nos.45200 and 45205 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED: 24.11.2025

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M. DHANDAPANI

W.P. Nos.45200 and 45205 of 2025

and

W.M.P. Nos.50342 , 50344 and 50350 of 2025

1. S. Natarajan

2. D. Ponmozhi

... Petitioners in W.P. No.45200 of 2025

Chandrasekaran

... Petitioner in W.P. No.45205 of 2025

vs.

1. The Commissioner of Geology and mining
Guindy Institutional Area,
SIDCO Industrial Estate,
Guindy,
Chennai – 600 032.

2. The District Collector,
Salem District,
Collectorate Buildings,
Salem – 636 001.

3. The Deputy Director of Geology and mining,
Collectorate Buildings,



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4. The Assistant Director of Geology and Mining,
Collectorate Buildings,
Salem – 636 001.

... Respondents in
both W.P.s

Common Prayer : Writ Petitions filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to drop the proposal to lease out the Government land comprised in Survey No.39, classified as “Karadu”, situated in Santhiyur Village, Salem Taluk and District, for quarrying rough stones, etc., through public auction, as there are superstructures and inhabitations owned by the petitioners located within 300 meters from the proposed quarry site, ignoring the same, if the permission is granted, which will amount to violation under Rule 36(1-A) (a) of the Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959, by considering the petitioner’s representation dated 14.10.2025 sent to the respondents.

In both W.P.s

For petitioner : Mr. K.M. Arun

For respondents : Mr.Stalin Abimanyu

Addl. Government Pleader

COMMON ORDER

Learned counsel for the petitioners seeks permission of this Court to withdraw these writ petitions and to that effect, he has made an endorsement in the bundle.



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2. Recording the above submission and endorsement made by the learned

counsel for the petitioner, these writ petitions are dismissed as withdrawn.

However, liberty is granted to the petitioners to work out their remedy in the manner known to law, if leave is granted in favour of the third party. No costs.

Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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Index:Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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