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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 17.12.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR.MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA,
CHIEF JUSTICE
AND
THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN

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Balanatham

.. Petitioner

-VS-

1. The District Collector,
New Revenue Complex,
Vazhudavoor Road,
Pettaiyanchathiram,
Puducherry 605 009.
2. The Member Secretary,
Puducherry Planning Authority,
1st Main Road, Jawahar Nagar,
Kavery Nagar, Reddiarpalayam,
Puducherry 605 005.
3. The Director,
The Department of Survey and
Land Records, Pillaithotam,
Sakthi Nagar, Saram, Puducherry 605 013.
4. The Thashildar,
Oulgaret Taluk, Selva Vinayagar Koil St.,
Pakkamudayanpet, Lawspet,



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.. Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 4 to conduct necessary enquiry and take appropriate action over the unauthorised construction made by the 5th respondent in pursuant to the representation made by the petitioner dated 28.08.2025, 23.09.2025.

For Petitioner : Mr.B.Balavijayan

For Respondents : Mr.S.Ravee Kumar
Govt. Pleader (Puducherry),
for RR 1 to 4

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ORDER

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

The petitioner's allegation is that the 5th respondent, while raising construction, has encroached upon petitioner's land. It is also alleged that the construction is otherwise illegal.

2. If the allegation is that the private respondent is encroaching upon petitioner's land, remedy lies in filing a civil suit and not writ petition.



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With liberty, petition is dismissed. There shall be no order as to costs.

(MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA, CJ.) (G.ARUL MURUGAN, J.)
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Index : Yes/No
Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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