



W.P.(MD) No.7152 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 17.03.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE **MRS.JUSTICE J.NISHA BANU**

AND

THE HONOURABLE **MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY**

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C.Selvakumar

... Petitioner

-Vs-

- 1.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by its Secretary,
Registration Department,
Secretariat, St.George Fort,
Chennai-600 009.
- 2.The Inspector General of Registration,
No.100, Santhome High Road,
Chennai-600 028.
- 3.The District Collector,
Kanyakumari District,
Nagercoil-629 001.
- 4.The District Revenue Officer,
Kanyakumari District, Nagercoil.
- 5.The District Registrar,
Registration Department,
Kanyakumari District, Nagercoil.



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6.The Sub Registrar,
Registration Department,
Thovalai, Kanyakumari District.

7.Raja
8.Prabhu
9.Ramachandran
10.Paramaguru
11.M.Thanappan
12.C.Muthukumar
13.Subramanian
14.Umaiya Parvathy

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 4 to take appropriate action against the respondents 7 to 14 and subsequently, to direct the respondents 5 and 6 not to register the agricultural lands situated at Thovalai Taluk, Kanyakumari District as plots (unapproved plots) illegally, based on the petitioner's representation dated 27.01.2025.

For Petitioner : Mr.L.George Paul Anto
For R1 to R6 : Mr.P.Thilak Kumar,
Government Pleader

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by *J.NISHA BANU, J.*]

By consent of both parties, this Writ Petition is taken up for final disposal at the stage of admission itself.

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2.It is the grievance of the petitioner that his representation dated 27.01.2025 to take appropriate action against the respondents 7 to 14 and not to register the agricultural lands situated at Thovalai Taluk, Kanyakumari District as plots (unapproved plots) illegally, is kept pending till date without any progress. Therefore, he has filed this Writ Petition with the aforesaid prayer.

3.Mr.P.Thilak Kumar, learned Government Pleader, who takes notice on behalf of the respondents 1 to 6, submits that the representation of the petitioner would be considered and appropriate orders would be passed on its own merits within a period that may be stipulated by this Court.

4.Considering the nature of order proposed to be given in this petition, notice to the respondents 7 to 14 is dispensed with.

5.Considering the limited scope of the prayer sought for by the petitioner, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the claim made by the petitioner either in the representation or in the affidavit filed in support of this Writ Petition, we direct the official respondents to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 27.01.2025, after giving sufficient opportunity of hearing to



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the petitioner and the respondents 7 to 14 and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law within a period of twelve (12) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

[J.N.B., J.] & [S.S.Y., J.]
17.03.2025

NCC : Yes / No
Index : Yes / No

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Note: Registry is directed to send a copy of this order to the respondents 7 to 14.

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