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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **15.04.2025**

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE P.B. BALAJI

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1.Pandiyammal
2.Sugumari

.... Petitioners

/Vs/

1. The District Collector
Sivagangai District.

2. The Block Development Officer
Kalayarkovil, Sivagangai District.

3. The Special Tahsildar
(Land Acquisition),
State Highways Projects,
Office of Tahsildar,
Sivagangai District.

.... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st respondent herein to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 9.12.2024 for making payment of just and fair compensation with interest additional interest solatium for acquiring the petitioners property in Survey No. 277/1B Kanjarangal Village, Sivagangai Taluk, Sivagangai District.



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For Petitioners : Mr.S.Srinivasa Raghavan
For R1 & R3 : Mr.S.Kameswaran
Government Advocate
For R2 : Mr.M.Muthumanikkam
Government Advocate

ORDER

I have heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners, Mr.S.Kameswaran, learned Government Advocate appearing for the respondents 1 & 3 and Mr.M.Muthumanikkam, learned Government Advocate appearing for the second respondent.

2. With the consent of the learned counsel appearing on either side, the main writ petition is taken up for final disposal, at the admission stage.

3. The grievance of the petitioner is that the lands in survey No. 277/1B have been acquired under the “Pradhan Manthiri Village Road Project” without compensating the petitioner. Even according to the petitioner, Survey No.277/1B has been classified as Pathai. In any event, considering the fact that the petitioner has already made a representation



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to the District Collector, which has been subsequently forwarded to the third respondent, who intturn forwarded the same to the second respondent as early as on 24.02.2025, it would suffice to direct the second respondent to conduct necessary enquiry and pass final orders on the petitioners representation dated 09.12.2024, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. The order is being passed without going into the petitioners' entitlement for compensation, which shall be decided by the second respondent.

4. With the above direction, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

Index : Yes / No
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