



W.P.(MD)No.11003 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 21.04.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.B.BALAJI

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Sahayamatha Salterns Private Limited,
Represented by its managing Director,
Michael Motha,
Door No.13A/1,
Pillaiyar Koil Street,
Meenakshipuram West,
Tuticorin.

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by its Secretary,
Transport Department,
Secretariat, Chennai.

2.The District Collector,
O/o the District Collector,
Tuticorin District,
Tuticorin.

3.The District Revenue Officer,
District Collectorate Building,
Tuticorin District.

4.The Special Tahsildar,
Land Acquisition for Railway Project
Vanchi Maniyachi-Nagercoil Railway Station,
For doubling of Railway Track Wing II,
Tuticorin Taluk Office,
Toovipuram,
Tuticorin.

... Respondents



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PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to furnish the award copy pertaining to the acquisition Proceedings *qua* laying the new railway line from Madurai to Thoothukudi via Aruppukottai pursuant to the representation, dated.16.01.2025 preferred by the petitioner within the period that may be stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.A.Iniyavan Abdullah
for M/s.Ajmal Associates

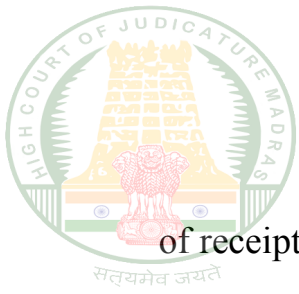
For Respondents : Mr.M.Lingadurai
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Special Government Pleader for the respondents.

2. The relief sought for by the petitioner is only seeking a copy of the award in the land acquisition proceedings, under which the petitioner's valuable property has been acquired. The petitioner has sought for a copy of the award by making a representation on 16.01.2025.

3. Considering the limited relief sought for, the 4th respondent is directed to furnish the copy of the award as requested by the petitioner vide his representation, dated 16.01.2025 within a period of four (4) weeks from the date



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of receipt of copy of this order.

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4. With the above direction, this Writ Petition stands allowed. No costs.

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Index:yes/no
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