



W.P.(MD) No.11995 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 25.04.2025

CORAM:

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

AND

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

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J.Victoria Rani

... Petitioner

-Vs-

1.The District Collector Cum Chairman,
High Level Monitoring Committee,
Dindigul, Dindigul District.

2.The Tahsildar,
Nilakottai Taluk,
Dindigul District.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Nilakottai Police Station,
Dindigul District.

4.Rayappan

5.Raju

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to remove the encroachment made by the respondents 4 and 5 in “common pathway” situated in Survey No. 273/6R Kottur Village, Nilakottai Taluk, Dindigul District within a time frame fixed by this Court.

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For Petitioner : Mr.R.J.Karthick
For R1 & R2 : Mr.J.Ashok,
Additional Government Pleader
For R3 : Mr.A.Albert James,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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.

2.It is the grievance of the petitioner that her representation dated 17.03.2025, seeking removal of the encroachment made by the respondents 4 and 5 in “common pathway” situated in Survey No.273/6R Kottur Village, Nilakottai Taluk, Dindigul District, is kept pending till date without any progress. Therefore, she has filed this Writ Petition.

3.M.J.Ashok, learned Additional Government Pleader, who takes notice on behalf of the respondents 1 and 2, submits that the representation of the petitioner would be considered and appropriate orders would be passed in accordance with law within a period that may be stipulated by this Court.

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4. Notice to the respondents 4 and 5 is dispensed with, since no adverse order is going to be passed as against them.

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 17.03.2025, after giving sufficient opportunity of hearing to the petitioner and the respondents 4 and 5 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.]
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NCC : Yes / No
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