



W.P(MD)NO.17842 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 01.07.2025

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE S.SOUNTHAR

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Karuppaiya,
The President,
Sri Padhra Kaliamman Thirukovil @
Arul Migu Sri Ammachi Amman Trust,
No.1/189, East Street, Aladipatti,
Aruppukkottai Taluk,
Virudhunagar District.

... Petitioner

.Vs.

- 1.The District Collector,
District Collectorate,
Virudhunagar District.
- 2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Office of the Revenue Divisional,
Aruppukkottai,
Virudhunagar District.
- 3.The Tahsildar,
Tahsildar Office,
Aruppukkottai Taluk,
Virudhunagar District.
- 4.The Village Administrative Officer,



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Office of the VAO,
Aladipatti Village,
Aruppukottai Taluk,
Virudhunagar District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to issue patta in S.No.100/1 in the name of the Trust Sri Padhra Kaliamman Thirukovil @ Arul Mughu Sri Ammachi Amman, by considering the Petitioner's representation, dated 4.6.2018 and 23.6.2025.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Edin Brough

For Respondents : Mr.M.Gangtharan
1 to 4 Govt. Advocate

ORDER

The Petitioner herein seeks a direction to the respondents to issue patta in the name of the Sri Padhra Kaliamman Thirukovil @ Arul Mughu Sri Ammachi Amman Trust in respect of the property in S.No.100/1, situate at Aladipatti, Aruppukkottai Taluk, Virudhunagar District.

2.Mr.M.Gaangatharan, learned Government Advocate takes notice for the respondents 1 to 4. By consent of both parties, the Writ Petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

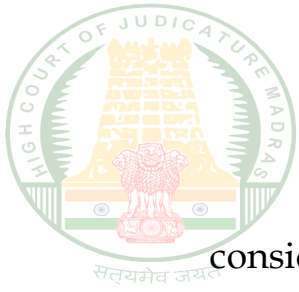


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4. Mr. M. Gangatharan, learned Government Advocate, who takes notice for the respondents 1 to 4 would submit that the representation of the Petitioner, dated 23.6.2025 will be considered in accordance with law, within the time limit prescribed by this Court.

5. In view of the same, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the matter, the third respondent is directed to



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consider the representation of the Petitioner, dated 23.6.2025 and pass final orders on its own merits after issuing notice to the Petitioner and other interested parties, if any , within a period of 12 weeks from the date of a copy of this order.

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

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NCS : Yes/No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes / No

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