

W.P(MD)No.19237 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 26.08.2025

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN**

**W.P(MD)No.19237 of 2023
and
W.M.P.(MD) No.15941 of 2023**

Jemespalraj

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The District Collector,
Pudukkottai District,
Pudukkottai.
2. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Revenue Divisional Office,
Aranthangi,
Pudukkottai District.
3. The Tahsildar,
The Tahsildar Office,
Avudaiyarkoil,
Pudukkottai District.
4. The Revenue Inspector,
Minisal Division,
Mimisal, Pudukkottai District.



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5. The Assistant Director,
Animal Husbandry Department,
Aranthangi,
Pudukkottai District.

6. Arulananthu

7. Selvaraj

8. Santhanam

9. Mani

10. Syril

11. Kanthasamy

12. Saminathan

13. Arul

14. Suresh

15. Joseph

16. Thomas

17. Anthony

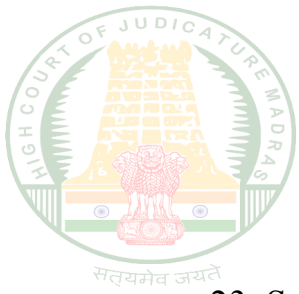
18. Senthil Kumar

19. Ainaesh

20. Arulmary

21. James

22. Rasu



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23. Santhanammal

24. Mariyarose

25. Sesuraj

26. Ganesan

... 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 1 to 5 to remove the Grazling land encroachments made by the respondents 6 to 26 in survey No.133 extent 8.12.50 Hectares situated at Naatanipurasakudi revenue village, Avudaiyarkoil taluk, Pudukkottai District based on the representation dated 06.03.2023.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Prasanna,

For Respondent : Mr.S.P.Maharajan (R1-R5)
Special Government Pleader

: Mr.B.S.Meltiue
(R6, R8, R14, R18, R20 to R24)

: No Appearance
(R15, R17, R19 & R25)



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ORDER

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[Order of the Court was made by G.ARUL MURUGAN, J.]

The writ petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondents 1 to 5 to remove the encroachments made in the grazing land in survey No.133 situated at Naatanipurasakudi Revenue Village, Avudaiyarkoil Taluk, Pudukkottai District, by the private respondents 6 to 26.

2.Heard the parties.

3.The learned Special Government Pleader on instructions would submit that the Tahsildar would take appropriate proceedings in identifying the encroachments and on identification, necessary steps will be initiated under the Tamil Nadu Land Encroachment Act and the encroachments identified would be removed.

4.The learned Counsel appearing for the private respondents would submit that the private respondents are ready to remove the encroachments voluntarily, on identification of encroachments.



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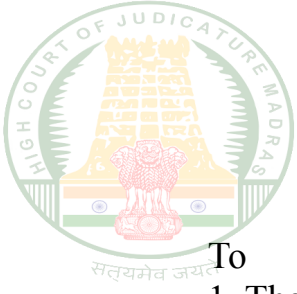
5. In view of the this submissions made, the Tahsildar/third respondent is directed to take appropriate proceedings under the Tamil Nadu Land Encroachment Act by affording opportunities to the private respondents who are in encroachment, within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the above direction, the writ petition is disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

[S.M.S., J.] [G.A.M., J.]
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