



WP(MD). No.23788 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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Date : 13/10/2025

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THE HON'BLE MR.MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA,
CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE R.POORNIMA

W.P.(MD)No.23788 of 2025

K.Revathi
W/o.R.Kannan
No.1023 West Street,
Naranapuram Village,
Sivakasi Taluk
Virudhunagar District

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The District Collector,,
Virudhunagar District..

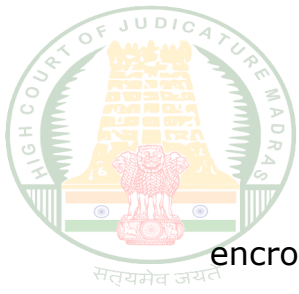
2. The Tahsildar,,
Sivakasi Taluk,
Virudhunagar District..

3. B.Kannan,
S/o.Balakrishnan,
D.No.1/437, South Street,
Naranapuram Village,
Sivakasi 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 2nd respondent to complete the proceedings for removal of

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encroachment as directed by the 1st respondent vide his proceedings in Na.Ka.G2.L/168/OE/2023-01 dated 14-07-2025 by considering the petitioner's representation dated 30-06-2025 and remove the encroachment made by 3rd respondent in S.Nos.404/14 and 404/15 Naranapuram Village, Sivakasi Taluk, Virudhunagar District.

For Petitioner : M/s.K.Kaviyarasan

For Respondents: Mr.S.P.Maharajan for R1 and R2
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

**(Order of the Court was made by
the Hon'ble the Chief Justice)**

As against the allegation of encroachment, learned State counsel is not in a position to dispute that, upon survey conducted, encroachment of land classified as "Natham" has been found. If that is so, we fail to understand as to what preventive steps or action was taken for removal of encroachment.

2. The State is entitled to proceed further in the matter as per the provisions of the Tamil Nadu Land Encroachment Act and conclude the proceedings within a period of three months from today.



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The person against whom action is proposed to be taken,
however, shall be entitled to an opportunity of hearing.

The writ petition is disposed of. However, there shall be no
order as to costs.

(MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA, CJ.) (R.POORNIMA, J.)

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NCC : Yes/No
Index : Yes/No

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