



W.P(MD)NO.23969 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED :08.09.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE SENTHILKUMAR RAMAMOORTHY

W.P(MD)No.23969 of 2025
and
W.M.P.(MD) No.18808 of 2025

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... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Commissioner of Revenue Administration,
Ezhilagam,
Chepauk,
Chennai - 600005.

2. The District Collector,
Collectorate,
Sivagangai District.

3. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Devakottai Division,
Sivagangai District.

4. The Tahsildar,
Thiruppathur Taluk,
Sivagangai District.

5. Chinnaiya

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the third respondent to issue cost assignment for sub divided S.No.131/14 (Old



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S.No.131/12) for an extent of 0.00.44 Hectares of Navanikalam Village, Nerkuppai Revenue Village, Thiruppathur Taluk, Sivagangai District in the light of the recommendation made by the Tahsildar, Thiruppathur in Na.Ka.No.A3/2120/2023 dated 29.01.2024.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Balasundaram
Senior Counsel
for KBS Law Office

For R1 to R4 : Mr.K.Balasubramani
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner seeks direction for grant of assignment on a cost basis in respect of a parcel of land described in the petition.

2. The learned Senior Counsel for the petitioner submits that the property has been wrongly classified as 'Sarkar Poramboke Salai' and that the petitioner has been residing in the house for more than 20 years. He further submits that the first and second respondents are empowered to reclassify the land and grant the assignment on a cost basis.

3. The learned Special Government Pleader accepts notice on behalf of the respondents 1 to 4. He submits that the request for reclassification may be considered by the first and second respondents



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and that the recommendation has been made by the Revenue Divisional Officer and the District Collector in this regard. He seeks sufficient time to dispose of the petitioner's request.

4. By taking note of the above submissions, this Writ Petition is disposed of by directing the first and second respondents to consider and dispose of the petitioner's request within a period of six months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, after providing a reasonable opportunity to the petitioner, fifth respondent and any other person interested in the relevant property.

5. With the above direction, the Writ Petition stands disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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