



W.P(MD)NO.24097 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

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K.M.Gowrinath

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The District Collector,
Madurai District,
Madurai.

2. The District Revenue Officer,
Madurai District.

3. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Tirumangalam Revenue Division,
Madurai District.

4. The Tashildar,
Tirumangalam Taluk,
Madurai District.

5. Muthupillaiammal.

... 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 take necessary steps to cancel the erroneous patta No. 2652 granted in favour of the fifth respondent and to issue patta in favour of the petitioner's name in SF No.344/1C situated at Karadikal Village,



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Tirumangalam Taluk, Madurai District, based on the petitioner's representation dated 02.06.2025.

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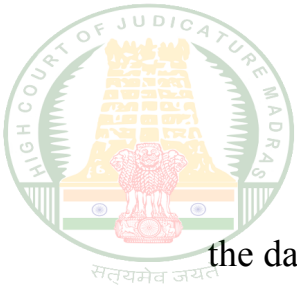
For Petitioner : Mr.G.Marichamy
For R1 to R4 : Mr.K.BalaSubramani
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

By this Writ Petition, the petitioner seeks consideration of the representation dated 02.06.2025 to cancel patta No.2652, which was granted to the fifth respondent.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner relies on the order dated 20.08.2010 of the Revenue Divisional Officer. Since the patta was granted erroneously to the fifth respondent, he submits that the representation was given for the cancellation of such patta.

3. Learned Special Government Pleader accepts notice for respondents 1 to 4. He submits that the request for cancellation of patta would be considered and disposed of on merits within twelve weeks from



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the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

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4. The petitioner has placed on record the sale deed under which his father purchased the property from one Chitra. The legal heirship certificate in respect of the petitioner's father has also been placed on record. In the circumstances, it is just and necessary that the petitioner's application be considered on merits after providing a reasonable opportunity to the fifth respondent. Since the third respondent is being directed to provide a reasonable opportunity to the fifth respondent, notice to the fifth respondent is dispensed with.

5. Accordingly, without expressing any opinion on the merits, the third respondent is directed to consider the petitioner's application dated 02.06.2025 and dispose of the same within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order after providing a reasonable opportunity to the petitioner and the fifth respondent and other legal heirs of late C.V.K.Murugesan.



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6. With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No

costs.

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