



W.P(MD)No. 24550 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED :**20.11.2025**

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE SENTHILKUMAR RAMAMOORTHY

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Thiruvavadudurai Adhinam
rep. By Inspector Veeranathan.

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The District Collector,
Tenkasi District,
Tenkasi.
2. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Tenkasi,
Tenkasi District.
3. The Tahsildar,
Taluk Office,
Shencottai,
Tenkasi District.
4. The Village Administrative Officer,
Mekkarai Village,
Shencottai Taluk,
Tenkasi District.
5. The District Forest Officer,
Tenkasi District,
Tenkasi.
6. The Forest Ranger,

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Shencottai Forest Range,
Shencottai,
Tenkasi District.

7. The Forest Officer,
Mekkarai, Shencottai,
Tenkasi District.

... Respondents

(R5 to R7 are impleaded vide Court
Order dated 06.10.2025 in WMP(MD)No.
20282 of 2025 in WP(MD) No.24550 of 2025

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus to direct the respondents to make correction the extent of land as `101.58 hectares` instead of `69.10 hectares` in survey Nos., 106/1 situated at Mekkarai Village, Shencottai Taluk, Tenkasi District by considering the petitioner`s representation dated 21.08.2025.

For Petitioner : Mr. M. Ramu

For Respondents : Mr.K.R.Badurus Zaman
Government Advocate

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking a correction in the revenue records relating to land in survey No.106/1 by replacing 69.10 hectares with 101.58 hectares.

2. During the last hearing, learned Government Advocate



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submitted that 32.40 hectares had been acquired from the Adhinam and that he would place relevant documents on record. Such documents have been placed on record and there is evidence of receipt of compensation in relation to the acquisition of 32.40 hectares. As a result, the request for correction no longer survives.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner, however, states that the respondents are endeavouring to encroach into and occupy the remaining extent of 69.10 hectares. This allegation is strongly refuted by the official respondents, who state categorically that no effort has been made to encroach into or occupy the 69.10 hectares owned by the Adhinam. This statement is recorded.

4. With these observations, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

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