



W.P(MD)No.28265 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 09.10.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

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and

W.M.P.(MD)Nos.21976 and 21978 of 2025

A.Muthuramalingam
S/o.Adaikappan,
The President,
Water Users Association,
Konnathanpatti and Papanpatti Kanmoi,
Konnathanpatti Village,
Velangudi Revenue Village,
Tirupathur Taluk,
Sivagangai District.

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The District Collector,
Sivagangai District,
Sivagangai.
- 2.The Assistant Director of Mines and Minerals,
Collectorate Buildings,
Sivagangai,
Sivagangai District.
- 3.The Tahsildar,
Tirupathur Taluk,
Tirupathur,
Sivagangai District.



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4.R.Manickavasagam,
The Tahsildar,
Tirupathur Taluk,
Tirupathur,
Sivagangai District.

5.The Executive Engineer,
Water Resources Department,
Manimutharu Basin Division,
Devakottai, Sivagangai District.

6.The Assistant Engineer,
Water Resources Department,
Virusuliaru Basin Sub Division,
Tirupathur, Sivagangai District.

7.M.Savitha

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Certiorari, calling for the records pertaining to the impugned order passed by the 3rd respondent vide proceedings dated 08.09.2025 Certificate No/TN-12020250903274 and quash the same as illegal and unconstitutional.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Mahendran

For Respondents : Mr.M.Lingadurai,
Spl. Govt. Pleader for R1 to R3, R5 &R6.



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ORDER

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Heard the learned counsel for the writ petitioner and the learned Special Government Pleader for the official respondents.

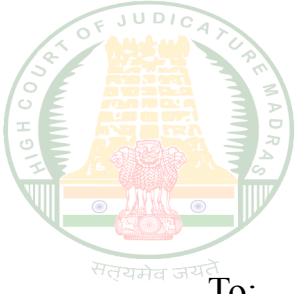
2.The petitioner challenges the permission accorded under Rule 12(2) of the Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959 in favour of the seventh respondent to remove clay sand from the petition mentioned kanmois. It is stated by the authorities that based on the impugned proceedings, clay sand was not removed and that period mentioned in the proceedings had already expired. It is further stated by the authorities that the impugned order will not be given effect to.

3.Recording the stand of the authorities, this writ petition is closed as infructuous. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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