



W.P(MD)No. 31475 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED :06.11.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE SENTHILKUMAR RAMAMOORTHY

W.P(MD)No. 31475 of 2025
and
W.M.P.(MD) No.24650 of 2025

S.Jothi

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The District Collector,
Thoothukudi,
Thoothukudi District.

2. The Zonal Deputy Tahsildar,
Taluk Office,
Ottapidaram,
Thoothukudi District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to call for the records pertaining to the Impugned order passed by the second respondent vide his Proceedings in No 2025/0103/28/568915 dated 12.09.2025 and quash the same as illegal and direct the second respondent to issue Patta to the property of the petitioner in Resurvey No 512/1 to an extent of 1.21.5 Hectors (3 Acres) of Punja lands in Panchalangurichi Village, Ottapidaram Taluk, Thoothukudi District.

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For Petitioner : Mr. P.Banuprasath
For Respondents : Mr.K.Balasubramani
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner had applied for patta transfer on 12.09.2025. The said request was rejected by an order dated 12.09.2025 which is impugned herein. The order is challenged on the ground that it is unreasoned.

2. Learned Special Government Pleader accepts notice for both the respondents.

3. On perusal of the order, the purported reason for rejection is mentioned as 'Rejected'. Undoubtedly, the order is unreasoned and cannot be sustained. Therefore, the order is set aside and the matter is remanded for reconsideration. After providing a reasonable opportunity to the petitioner, a speaking order shall be issued within three (3) months from



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the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs. Consequently,
connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

NCS : Yes/No
Index : Yes / No
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