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W.P.(MD)NO.32759 OF 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 17.11.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P.(MD)No.32759 of 2025

Manimegalai

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Registrar,
District Register Office,
Madurai District.

2. The Sub Registrar,
Vadipatti,
Madurai District.

3. The Tahsildar,
Vadipatti Taluk,
Vadipatti,
Madurai District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the second respondent to register a sale deed produced by the petitioner in temporary acknowledgement No.TP/237979314/2025 dated 03.11.2025 within a stipulated time that may be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.Palanisamy

For Respondents : Mr.G.V.Vairam Santhosh,
Additional Government Pleader.

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**ORDER**

Heard both sides.

2. The petitioner is permitted to re-present the document in question. The second respondent will take a call as to whether to register or not. He will not be guided by the fact that the third respondent had called upon the second respondent not to register the document. I have held in dozens of cases that the revenue authority cannot call upon the registering authority to not to register the document in question. The statutory authority has to discharge the statutory function in the manner laid down in the statute. The Tahsildar has no jurisdiction to issue any direction as such to the second respondent.

3. With the aforesaid clarification of the legal position, this writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

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