



W.P.(MD)No.3919 of 2025

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **05.03.2025**

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE P.B. BALAJI

W.P.(MD)No.3919 of 2025

and

W.M.P(MD)No.2847 of 2025

1.S.Sabapathi
2.S.Rani

... Petitioners

/Vs./

- 1.The District Revenue Officer,
District Collectorate Complex,
Thoothukudi-628 907.
- 2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Revenue Divisional Officer's Office,
Kovilpatti,
Thoothukudi District - 628 501.
- 3.The Tahsildar,
Vilathikulam Taluk,
Thoothukudi District-628 907.
- 4.M.Kasi Raman,
President,
Arulmigu Bathirakaliamman Temple,
A Hindu Nadar Community under Obligatory
Subramaniapuram Vembar,
Thoothukudi-628 906.



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5.Pastorate Chairman,
Vembar Pastorate,
CSI St. Thomas Church,
Vembar Village, Vilathikulam Taluk,
Thoothukudi District-628 906.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the first respondent to dispose the appeal proceedings kept pending in D.No.2527/121/2024 filed on 01.10.2024 within a time frame in an expeditious manner as stipulated by this Court in respect of the land measuring an extent of 206 sq.mtr ie., 5 cents comprised in Natham S.No.328/10 situated at old ward No.5, new Ward No.2, Vembar Village, Vilathikulam Taluk, Thoothukudi District.

For Petitioner	: Mr.G.Ramanathan
For R1 to R3	: Mr.B.Saravanan Additional Government Pleader
For R4	: Mr.T.Thirumurgan

ORDER

The petitioner seeks limited relief of issuance of a Writ of Mandamus to direct the first respondent to dispose of his appeal in D.No. 2527/121/2024, dated 01.10.2024.

2.Admittedly, the petitioner's appeal is pending with the first respondent. Without going into the merits of the petitioner's challenge



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made in the said appeal, the petitioner as well as the fourth respondent shall be directed to canvas all their claims/objections before the first respondent and after conducting due enquiry and after affording fair opportunity, the first respondent shall dispose of the appeal dated 01.10.2024 within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

3. With the above direction, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

Index : Yes / No
NCC : Yes / No
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