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W.P.(MD)NO.31241 OF 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 03.01.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

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... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector,
Virudhunagar District,
Virudhunagar.
2. The District Revenue Officer,
Virudhunagar District,
Virudhunagar.
3. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Sivakasi Revenue Division,
Virudhunagar District.
4. The Tahsildar,
Sivakasi Taluk,
Virudhunagar District.
5. The Block Development Officer,
Vembakottai Block
Virudhunagar District.
6. The Panchayat President,
Mamsapuram Village Panchayat,
Sivakasi Taluk,
Virudhunagar District.

... Respondents



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Prayer: Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to remove all the encroachments made by the encroachers in Kaliyamman temple Oorani situated in survey No.329, Duraisampuram Village, Mamsapuram Panchayat, Sivakasi Taluk, Virudhunagar District as well as in the water channel for the said Oorani and restore the Kaliyamman temple Oorani by considering the petitioner's representation dated 10.12.2024 within the time limit as fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Suresh Kumar
For Respondents : Mr.P.T.Thiraviyam,
Government Advocate.
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ORDER

Heard the learned counsel appearing for the writ petitioner and the learned Government Advocate appearing for the respondents.

2. The petitioner seeks removal of the encroachment in survey No.329, Duraisampuram Village, Mamsapuram Panchayat. It is not in dispute that the said survey number has been classified as Oorani. We direct the official respondents to survey the petition-mentioned land. It is open to the official respondents to take aid of the jurisdictional police if



necessary and conduct survey. If the survey reveals any encroachment, it shall be removed by due process of law within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Notices have to be issued to the encroachers and they shall be provided with due opportunity.

(G.R.SWAMINATHAN, J.) & (B.PUGALENDHI, J.)

3rd January 2025

NCC : Yes / No

Index : Yes / No

Internet : Yes / No

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