



W.P.No.7968 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 05.03.2026

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA,  
CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN

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P.Sankaran  
Son of L.K.Poosappan  
103, Kattoor West Street  
Punjai Lakkapuram  
Erode District 638002.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The State Of Tamil Nadu  
Represented by its Additional Chief  
Secretary to Government  
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department  
Fort St. George, Secretariat  
Chennai 600 009.
2. The District Collector  
Collectorate  
Theeran Chinnamalai Maaligai  
Erode District 638 011.
3. The Additional Collector (Development)  
District Rural Development Agency  
Erode District 638 011.



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4. The Block Development Officer  
Panchayat Union Office  
Modakuirichi Taluk  
Erode District 638 104.
5. The Tahsildar  
Modakuirichi Taluk  
Erode District 638 104.
6. S.K.M. Shree Shivkumar  
Son of S.K.M.Mayilnandan  
Door No.200/21, Sripuram  
Parisalthurai Road, Lakkapuram  
Erode District 638002.

Respondent(s)

Prayer : Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 5 to conduct a field inspection at Survey No.144/1 Punjai Lakkapuram ,Village, Modakkurichi Taluk, Erode District and to constitute an Expert Committee to supervise the construction of paver block, barbed wire fencing work, fixing of grills and further to ensure that the work is carried on properly in terms of compliance with the procedure contemplated under the Namakku Naame Thittam (NNT) in the manner as specifically stipulated in G.O.(Ms) No.68 Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS.1) Department dated 02.05.2025 issued by the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent after considering the representation of the petitioner dated 22.11.2025 in accordance with law and on merits expeditiously within a time frame fixed by this Hon'ble Court.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.N.S.Suganthan

For Respondent(s): Mr.M.Habeeb Rahman  
Government Advocate  
for R1 to R5



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**ORDER**  
(Order of the Court was made by  
the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

This petition has been filed praying for the following relief:

*“a writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 5 to conduct a field inspection at Survey No.144/1 Punjai Lakkapuram ,Village, Modakkurichi Taluk, Erode District and to constitute an Expert Committee to supervise the construction of paver block, barbed wire fencing work, fixing of grills and further to ensure that the work is carried on properly in terms of compliance with the procedure contemplated under the Namakku Naame Thittam (NNT) in the manner as specifically stipulated in G.O.(Ms) No.68 Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS.1) Department dated 02.05.2025 issued by the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent after considering the representation of the petitioner dated 22.11.2025 in accordance with law and on merits expeditiously within a time frame fixed by this Hon'ble Court.”*

2. According to learned counsel for petitioner, though the State, vide its order dated 02.05.2025, has issued guidelines for implementation of Namakku Naame Thittam in the State, the



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progress of implementation is slow and therefore, appropriate directions may be issued for constitution of a Committee to supervise expeditious implementation of the Scheme.

3. Learned State counsel, upon instruction, would submit that the Scheme is in the process of implementation and as first phase, long fencing has already been done and as and when funds are released, further steps towards implementation of the Scheme would be taken expeditiously.

4. Placing on record the above statement, petition is disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

(MANINDRA MOHAN SHRIVASTAVA, CJ) (G.ARUL MURUGAN,J)  
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Index : Yes/No  
Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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