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W.P.No.9086 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 12.03.2026

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ABDUL QUDDHOSE

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Kalavathy

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The Arbitrator Cum District Collector,
Collectorate Office,
Krishnagiri District.
- 2.Competent Authority/
Special District Revenue Officer – Land Acquisition
National Highways – 844 (Hosur – Royakottai – Dharmapuri Section)
Krishnagiri District.
- 3.The Project Director (NH 844),
National Highways Authority of India,
PIU – Krishnagiri,
259/1, Salem Main Road, Near KAKC Petrol Bunk,
Krishnagiri District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the 3rd Respondents to pay the enhanced compensation Rs.13,61,183/- with applicable interest in the light of the Arbitration Award dated 24.05.2025 in Na.Ka.359/2023/ET to the petitioner's property by disposing of the petitioner's representation dated 10.02.2026 within the time to be stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Ramesh Raja



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For Respondents : Mr.D.Ravichander
Special Government Pleader [R1]
Ms.S.R.Sumathy
Standing Counsel [R2 & R3]

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed to implement the Arbitration Award, dated 24.05.2025 passed by the 3rd respondent under the National Highways Act, 1956.

2. Mr.D.Ravichander, learned Special Government Pleader, accepts notice on behalf of the 1st respondent and Ms.S.R.Sumathy, learned Standing Counsel, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents 2 and 3.

3. The only recourse available to the petitioner to implement the aforesaid award passed under the National Highways Act, 1956 is to file an Execution Petition as per the provisions of Section 36 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996. Instead of filing the Execution Petition, the petitioner has filed this Writ Petition.

4. When this Court expressed its view that the petitioner will have to approach the Execution Court for executing the arbitration award dated



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24.05.2025, the learned counsel for the petitioner, on instructions, would now submit that the petitioner may be granted liberty to approach the Executing Court.

5. In view of the same, this Writ Petition is disposed of by granting liberty to the petitioner to execute the arbitration award dated 24.05.2025, in accordance with the provisions of Section 36 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, before the appropriate Executing Court. There shall be no order as to costs.

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Index : Yes / No
Speaking order / Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation Case : Yes/No
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