



W.P.No.10081 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 02.04.2026

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. SUSHRUT ARVIND DHARMADHIKARI,
CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN

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W.M.P.Nos.10877 & 10878 of 2026

G.Dhanapal
S/o. Gopal
3/68, Vattakadu Main Road
Vellalapatti Post
Karuppur Via., Omalur Taluk
Salem - 636 012.

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector
Salem, Salem District.
2. The Revenue Divisional Officer/
Sub Collector
Mettur, Mettur Dam-1
Salem District.
3. The Tahsildar
Omalur Taluk
Salem District.
4. The Revenue Inspector
Karuppur
Omalur Taluk
Salem District.



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5. The Regional Joint Director
Geology and Mining
Salem Region
Salem/District.
6. The Deputy Director of Geology And Mining
2nd Floor, Collectorate
Salem- 636001.
7. The District Environmental Engineer
Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board
Ground Floor, TMHB Layout
Sarkar Kollapatti, Thalavaipatti Post
Salem West Circle
Salem District 636 302.

.. Respondents

Prayer : Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of Certiorari calling for the records relating to the order passed by the 1st respondent in tender file R.C.No. 36/2026/Mines -A dated 29.01.2026, quash the same in respect of land in survey No. 12, 16/3 & 16/4 an extent of 1.40.0 Hecs alone.

For Petitioner : M/s.D.Sathiya
For Mr.M.Elango

For Respondents : Mr.Stalin Abhimanyu
Addl. Govt. Pleader for R1 to R6

ORDER

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

Learned counsel for petitioner submits that her senior has personal inconvenience and therefore, prays for time.



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2. On 17.03.2026, the case was adjourned on the same ground. We, therefore, refuse the prayer for grant of adjournment.

3. Learned State counsel submits that in this writ petition, only the date of tender notification is under challenge. After issuance of notification, the tender process has been completed and tender has been allotted to one Ganga & Co.

4. In the light of the aforesaid, this petition has been rendered infructuous. Accordingly, this petition is disposed of as having rendered infructuous. However, petitioner is given liberty to work out his remedy in accordance with law, if so advised. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, the interim applications are closed.

(SUSHRUT ARVIND DHARMADHIKARI,CJ) (G.ARUL MURUGAN,J)
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