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WP No.14060 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 10.04.2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.SUSHRUT ARVIND DHARMADHIKARI,
CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN

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1. C. Selvakumar,
No.14060 of 20265, Arul Karpaga
Nivas, Arul Malar Convent Road,
K.K. Nagar, Madurai 625020

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Chief Election Commissioner
Election Commission of India,
Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road,
New Delhi 110001.

2.The Chief Electoral Officer,
State of Tamil Nadu, Public
(Elections) Department,
Secretariat, Fort St. George,
Chennai 600009.

3.The Principal Secretary to
Government
Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare
Department, Secretariat, Fort St.
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4.The Director
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5.The Director
Tribal Welfare Department,
Chepauk, Chennai 600005.

6.The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu Adi Dravidar Housing
and Development Corporation
(TAHDCO),No.31, Cenotaph Road,
Teynampet, Chennai 600018.

7.The Director
Directorate of Vigilance and Anti-
Corruption (DVAC), No.293, M.K.N.
Road, Alandur, Chennai 600016.

8.The Director
Enforcement Directorate,
Government of India,6th Floor, Lok
Nayak Bhawan, Khan Market, New
Delhi 110003.

9.The Director General
Central Public Works Department
(CPWD), Nirman Bhawan, Maulana
Azad Road, New Delhi 110011

Respondent(s)

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issue of Writ of Mandamus directing the Respondents 1 and 2 to ensure that no misuse of welfare schemes, public funds or State machinery takes place during the election period so as to uphold free and fair elections under Article 324 of the Constitution of India based on the petitioner's representation dated 05.03.2026, and further directing the 7th respondent to take necessary action as against the 6th respondent for having committed corruption in the works carried out based on the petitioner's representation dated 04.03.2026.



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For Petitioner : Mr.K.Kannan
For Respondents : Mr.Niranjana Rajagopalan
for RR 1 and 2
: Mr.J.Ravindran
Addl. Advocate General
Asst. by Mrs.E.Ranganayaki,
Addl. Govt. Pleader,
for RR 3 to 6

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ORDER

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner seeks leave of this Court to withdraw this writ petition, with liberty to approach the competent authority seeking redressal of the grievances.

Petition is, accordingly, dismissed as withdrawn, with the aforesaid liberty. There shall be no order as to costs.

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