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W.P.No.15830 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 28.04.2026

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ABDUL QUDDHOSE

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Saravanan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Dharmapuri District,
Dharmapuri.

2.The Thasildar,
Karimanglaam Taluk,
Karimangalam,
Dharmapuri District.

3.The Taluk Surveyor,
Karimanglaam Taluk,
Karimangalam,
Dharmapuri District.

4.The Inspector of Police,
Kambainallur Police Station,
Dharmapuri District.

5.Venkatesan

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the 2nd and 3rd Respondent to take steps to measure and demarcate the property being all



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that piece and parcel of land in K.Agraharam, Karimangalam Taluk, Dharmapuri District comprised in S.No.169/2B to an extent of 2.65.50 Ares in Application No.2025/0123/05/008741 dated 06.02.2025 to put the fencing the property with the help of the 4th respondent within a time frame fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Selvam

For Respondents : Mr.S.Arumugam

Government Advocate [R1 to R3]

Mr.V.Meganathan

Government Advocate (Crl.Side) [R4]

Notice dispensed with [R5]

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed to direct the respondents 2 and 3 to survey, demarcate and put-up the fencing for the property morefully described in the prayer to this writ petition, which according to the petitioner is owned by him, based on his online application, dated 06.02.2025 with the assistance of the 4th respondent.

2. The petitioner had submitted an application through on-line on 06.02.2025 for the aforesaid purpose. Since the same has not been considered till date, the petitioner has filed this writ petition.



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3. Mr.S.Arumugam, learned Government Advocate, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents 1 to 3 and Mr.V.Meganathan, learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side), accepts notice on behalf of the 4th respondent. Since no adverse order is passed against the 5th respondent in this writ petition, notice to the 5th respondent is dispensed with by this Court.

4. With regard to the prayer sought for in this writ petition, namely for putting up fencing with the assistance of the 4th respondent, the same cannot be granted by this Court through this writ petition and if at all the same can be redressed only through a civil suit.

5. No prejudice would be caused to any of the respondents, if the respondents 2 and 3 are directed to survey and demarcate the boundaries of the petitioner's property morefully described in the prayer to this writ petition, after hearing the objections, if any, from the 5th respondent, the neighbouring land owners and any other party as they deem fit within a time frame to be fixed by this Court. Accordingly, this writ petition is disposed of in the following manner:-



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(a) Before surveying the lands in question, the respondents 2 and 3 are directed to issue notice to the 5th respondent, the neighbouring land owners, and also to any other party, if they deem fit to put on notice.

(b) After receiving objections if any and after considering the same, the respondents 2 and 3 shall conduct survey and demarcate the boundaries of the property morefully disclosed in the prayer to this writ petition, on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of twelve (12) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

(c) If the need arises for police assistance and on a request made by the 2nd respondent, the 4th respondent shall render police assistance for the effective implementation of this order.

(d) There shall be no order as to costs.

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