



W.P.N
and W.M.P.Nos.15924 & 23033 of 2024

WEB COPY

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 04.03.2026

CORAM

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

W.P.No.14659 of 2024
and W.M.P.Nos.15924 & 23033 of 2024

M/s.MKP & Co Petrol Bunk
Represented by its Partner
S.Saminathan,
S/o. Subbana Gounder,
Sulur Road,
Muthugounden Pudur,
Sulur Taluk, Coimbatore District – 641 402.

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector,
Coimbatore District,
Coimbatore.
2. The District Revenue Officer (Administration),
Coimbatore District,
Coimbatore.
3. The District Fire Officer,
Coimbatore District,
Coimbatore.



W.P.N
and W.M.P.Nos.15924 & 23033 of 2024

4. The Chairman,
Indian Oil Corporation,
Divisional Office,
Nungambakkam High Road,
Chennai.

5. Kathirvel

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, seeking forbearing the respondents 1 to 4 from not issuing any license or permission for installation of the petrol pump station in Old SF Nos.514/B, New SF No.514/3 situated at Neelambur Village, Suler Taluk, Coimbatore District in lieu of GO Ms. No.25/2022 dated 24.02.2022 issued by the Highways and Minor Ports (HN.2) Department and based on my objection dated 17.02.2024.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Anisha Rani
For R1 to R3 : Mr.S.Balamurugan
Government Advocate
For R4 : Mr.Mohammed Fayaz
For R5 : Ms.S.A.Udayakumari

ORDER

This Writ Petition is filed for a Mandamus forbearing the respondents 1 to 4 from not issuing any license or permission for installation of the petrol pump station in Old SF Nos.514/B, New SF No.514/3 situated at Neelambur Village, Suler Taluk, Coimbatore District in lieu of GO Ms. No.25/2022 dated 24.02.2022 issued by the Highways and Minor Ports (HN.2) Department and based on my objection dated 17.02.2024.



W.P.N
and W.M.P.Nos.15924 & 23033 of 2024

WEB COPY

2. When the matter is taken up for hearing, attention of this Court was drawn to the counter affidavit filed by the 2nd respondent, wherein it has been stated that the application submitted by the Indian Oil Corporation Limited for setting up a Petroleum Retail Outlet in S.F.No.514/B of Neelambur Village of Suler Taluk, Coimbatore District was rejected by the 2nd respondent, vide proceedings dated 05.07.2024 on the ground that another fuel station is located within the prohibited distance. Hence, the prayer in the writ petition has become infructuous.

3. In view of the above, this Writ Petition stands closed. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are dismissed.

04.03.2026

Index: Yes/No
Internet: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-Speaking order
Jvm

To
1. The District Collector,
Coimbatore District, Coimbatore.

2. The District Revenue Officer (Administration),
Coimbatore District,
Coimbatore.

3/4



WEB COPY



W.P.N
and W.M.P.Nos.15924 & 23033 of 2024

M.DHANDAPANI, J.

Jvm

3. The District Fire Officer,
Coimbatore District, Coimbatore.

4. The Chairman,
Indian Oil Corporation,
Divisional Office, Nungambakkam High Road,
Chennai.

W.P.No.14659 of 2024
and W.M.P.Nos.15924 & 23033 of 2024

04.03.2026