



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 25-03-2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE KRISHNAN RAMASAMY

WP No. 25019 of 2023

M.Gajendran
S/o. Masilamani(late),
Thasildarmedu Village,
Eriya Obalavaram Post,
Gummidipoondi Taluk,
Thiruvallur District - 601 201.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The State Of Tamilnadu
Rep By Its Principle Secretary To
State Highway Department,
St. George Fort, Chennai - 600009.

2.The District Collector,
Thiruvallur District Collector Office,
Thiruvallur - 602001.

3.The Chief Engineer,
State Highway Department,
Construction And Maintenance,
Guindy, Chennai - 600025.

4.The Divisional Engineer,
State Highway Department,
Thiruvallur Division,
Thiruvallur - 602001.

5.The Assistant Divisional Engineer,
State Highway Department,
Construction And Maintenance,
Gummidipoondi Sub Divisional, Gnt
Road, Gummidipoondi,
Thiruvallur District - 601201.



6.The Thasildar,
Gummidipoondi Taluk Office,
Gummidipoondi,
Thiruvallur - 601 201.

7.The Taluk Head Surveyor,
Gummidipoondi Taluk Office,
Gummidipoondi,
Thiruvallur - 601 201.

8.The Deputy Inspector Of Surveyor,
Gummidipoondi Taluk Office,
Gummidipoondi,
Thiruvallur - 601 201.

9.M/s. Opg Power Generation Pvt Ltd.,
Represented By Its Senior Manager
Legal, Mr. P.Venkatasubramanian,
New No. 6, Sardar Patel Road,
Guindy, Chennai - 600032.

Respondent(s)

Prayer:

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a writ of Mandamus, direct the 1 to 5 respondents to determine compensation payable to the petitioner in respect of the aforementioned acquired lands at Thiruvallur District, Gummidipoondi Taluk, Papangkuppam Village, Patta No. 2963, Survey No. 298/14A measuring an extent of Hectare 0-49.50 Ares of Agriculture land, 298/14B measuring an extent of Hectare 0-02.50 Ares of Agriculture land, 298/15B measuring an extent of Hectare 0-09.50 Ares of Agriculture land, 298/17A2 patta No. 2886 Measuring an extent of Hectare 0-03.00 ares of agriculture land in accordance with right to fair compensation and transparency in land acquisition, rehabilitation and resettlement act 2013 or any other equivalent or appropriate act and pay the compensation in tune with market value with solatium, interest, betterment charges etc.,

For Petitioner(s): Mr.K.Yuvaraj

For Respondent(s): Mrs.S.Indhu Bala,, AGP for R1 to 8
R9 No apperance

**ORDER**

This writ petition has been filed to direct the respondent to consider the petitioner's representations dated 06.04.2023, 12.04.2023 & 03.07.2023.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that in this case, the representations were filed by the petitioner to determine compensation payable to the petitioner in respect of the aforementioned acquired lands at Thiruvallur District, Gummidipoondi Taluk, Papangkuppam Village, Patta No. 2963, Survey No. 298/14A measuring an extent of Hectare 0-49.50 Ares of Agriculture land, 298/14B measuring an extent of Hectare 0-02.50 Ares of Agriculture land, 298/15B measuring an extent of Hectare 0-09.50 Ares of Agriculture land, 298/17A2 patta No. 2886 Measuring an extent of Hectare 0-03.00 ares of agriculture land in accordance with right to fair compensation and transparency in land acquisition, rehabilitation and resettlement act 2013 or any other equivalent or appropriate act and pay the compensation in tune with market value with solatium, interest, betterment charges etc. However, the said representations were not at all considered by the respondent till date. Hence, this petition.

3. In reply, the learned counsel for the respondent would submit that the petitioner's representation will be disposed of by the 3rd respondent within a period of 12 weeks.



4. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the respondent and also perused the entire materials available on record.

5. In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the matter, this Court directs the respondent to consider the representations of the petitioner dated 06.04.2023, 12.04.2023 & 03.07.2023 and dispose of the same, on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of 12 weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the above directions, this writ petition is disposed of. No cost.

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Index: Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Internet: Yes

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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