



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 30-03-2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE KRISHNAN RAMASAMY

**WP No. 22382 of 2023
AND WMP NO. 21777 OF 2023**

Mr. Annadurai
S/o. Late Arumugam Pillai,
Door No. 105, New Door No. 23,
Parai Veethi, Vettaikaranpudur,
Anaimalai Taluk,
Coimbatore District - 642 104.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Chief Engineer
Water Resource Department, Pwd
Estate, Chepauk, Chennai - 600 005.

2. The District Collector,
Coimbatore District,
Coimbatore - 641 018.

3. The Tahsildar,
Pollachi Taluk, Pollachi - 642 001.

4. The Executive Engineer,
P.W.D/w.R.O. Parambikulam Divison,
Parambikulam Camo,
Vettaikaranpudur, Pollachi Taluk,
Coimbatore District - 642 001.

5. The Assistant Executive Engineer,
P.W.D/w.R.O, Pollachi Taluk,
Coimbatore District - 642 001.

6. Mr. K.S. Saravanakumar,
S/o. Shanmugavel,
Door No. 1/33, Marappa Gounder



Street, Kaliyapuram, Anaimalai Taluk,
Coimbatore District - 642 104.

7. The Assistant Engineer,
P.W.D. Samatta Kalvai Division,
No. 1, Sarkarpathi, Udumalaipettai
Taluk, Coimbatore - 642 133.

Respondent(s)

PRAYER

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st and 2nd respondent to take necessary action against the 6th respondent from draw the water from Kulappam Varathu vaikal, Kulappam Ayakat through Iyer Sluice to his land in S.F. No. 559,560,562,571-A and 575 situated elevated area that is 20 feet above from the land surface and its does not come under the Ayakat on the basis of representation dated 16.01.2023 to the 1st and 2nd respondent and consequently forbearing the 6th respondent from drawing water from Iyer sluice to land situated in S.F.No. 559,560,562,571-A and 575 in Kaliyapuram Village, Anaimalai Taluk, Coimbatore district

For Petitioner(s): Mr.P.Tamilavel

For Respondent(s): Mrs.S.Anitha, SGP for R1 to 5 & 7
Mr.B.Thirumalai, for R6

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed to direct the 2nd respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 16.01.2023.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that in this case, a representation was filed by the petitioner to take necessary action against the 6th respondent from draw the water from Kulappam Varathu vaikal, Kulappam Ayakat through Iyer Sluice to the petitioner's land. However, the said



representation was not at all considered by the respondent till date. Hence, this petition.

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3. In reply, the learned counsel for the respondent would submit that the petitioner's representation will be disposed of by the 1st 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 1st respondent to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 16.01.2023 and dispose of the same, after affording sufficient opportunity to the petitioner as well as respondent, 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. It is made clear that the petitioner's eligibility shall be determined based on the records of the 1st respondent. If the petitioner's name is included in the Ayakat, certainly, he is entitled to avail benefits.



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

Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is also closed.

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