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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 02-04-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE S. M. SUBRAMANIAM

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE K. SURENDER

CONT P No. 2939 of 2024

AND

**CONT P NO. 3029 OF 2024,CONT P NO. 2941 OF 2024,CONT P NO. 2940
OF 2024,CONT P NO. 2942 OF 2024**

V. Annadurai

..Petitioner(s) in Cont.P.No.2939 of 2024

M.Elangovan

..Petitioner(s) in Cont.P.No.3029 of 2024

D. Arulanandaraj

..Petitioner(s) in Cont.P.No.2941 of 2024

S. Kannan

..Petitioner(s) in Cont.P.No.2940 of
2024

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..Petitioner(s) in Cont.P.No.2942 of 2024
Vs

1. Dr. Gagandeep Singh Bedi, I.A.S.,
The State of Tamil Nadu,
Secretary to Government,
Rural Development and
Panchayat Department,
Secretariat, Fort St. George,
Chennai 600 009.
2. Thiru. P.Ponnaiah, I.A.S.,
The Director Of Rural
Development And Panchayat
Panagal Building, Saidapet,
Chennai 600 015.
3. Dr, R. Brinda Devi, I.A.S.,
The District Collector
Salem District, Salem.

..Contemnor(s) in all petitions

**CONT P No. 2939 of 2024**

To punish the Respondents for willfully disobeying the Orders passed in the Writ Appeal in W.A.No. 1491 of 2019 dated 13.06.2023

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To punish the Respondents for willfully disobeying the Interim Orders passed in the Writ Appeals in W.A.No. 1494 of 2019 dated 13.06.2023

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To punish the Respondents for willfully disobeying the Orders passed in the Writ Appeals in W.A.No. 1513 of 2019 dated 13.06.2023

CONT P No. 2940 of 2024

To punish the Respondents for willfully disobeying the Interim Orders passed in the Writ Appeals in W.A.No. 1493 of 2019 dated 13.06.2023

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To punish the Respondents for willfully disobeying the Interim Orders passed in the Writ Appeals in W.A.No. 1510 of 2019 dated 13.06.2023

In all Contempt Petitions

For Petitioner(s): Mr.Sammanuvel for Mr.S.Nedunchezhiyan

For Contemnor(s): Mr.U.M.Ravichandran
Special Government Pleader

Common Order**(Order of the Court was made by S.M.Subramaniam J.)**

In view of the interim order passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in SLP(Civil).Diary No.5452 of 2023, dated 14.05.2025, no further orders are required.

2. Accordingly, the contempt petitions are closed. No costs.



(S.M.S.,J.) (K.S.,J.)
02-04-2026

Index: Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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