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W.P.No.1718 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 17.06.2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

**W.P.No.1718 of 2024
And
W.M.P.Nos.1763 and 1764 of 2024**

B.Thirupathi

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The District Collector
Namakkal Collector Office,
Namakkal.
- 2.The Block Development Officer,
Erumaipatti Panjayat Union Development Office,
Erumaipatti,
Namakkal District.
- 3.The Director
Adi-Dravidar Welfare Department
District Collector Office Campus,
Namakkal.
- 4.The Thasildar
Adi-Dravidar Welfare,
Mohanur Taluk Office Campus,
Mohanur,
Namakkal District.
- 5.The Special Thasildar
Adi-Dravidar Welfare Department,
Namakkal District,
Namakkal.



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6.The Village Administrative Officer,
M Mettupatti Post,
Erumaipatti Panchayat Union,
M Mettupatti, Mohanur Taluk,
Namakkal District.

7.The Village President cum Executive Officer
M Mettupatti Village Panchayat Office,
Erumaipatti Panchayat Union,
Erumaipatti, Mohanur Taluk,
Namakkal District.

8.The Executive Engineer,
Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited,
Mohanur Road,
Namakkal District.

9.The Assistant Engineer (O/M)
Operation and Maintenance
Valayapatti Electricity Office,
Valayapatti, Mohanur Taluk,
Namakkal.

10.Mekala

... Respondents

Prayer:

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus calling for the records made in the impugned order in Na.Ka.No.A3/3806/2021 dated 14.09.2023 passed by the second respondent, quash the same, consequently, direct the first respondent to vacate the tenth respondent from the premises situated at Samathuvapuram, Door No.6/167, Plot No.2, M.Mettupatti Village, Erumaipatti Panchayat Union, Mohanur Taluk, Namakkal District and hand over the physical possession to the petitioner.



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For Petitioner : Mr.S.Kanmani Annamalai

For Respondents : Mr.C.Prabakaran for R1, R3 to R6
Government Counsel
Mr.S.Rajesh for R2, R7
Mr.S.Kalaiselvan for R8, R9

ORDER

The petitioner has filed this writ petition seeking issuance of Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus calling for the records made in the order in Na.Ka.No.A3/3806/2021 dated 14.09.2023 passed by the second respondent, quash the same, consequently, direct the first respondent to vacate the tenth respondent from the premises situated at Samathuvapuram, Door No.6/167, Plot No.2, M.Mettupatti Village, Erumaipatti Panchayat Union, Mohanur Taluk, Namakkal District and hand over the physical possession to the petitioner.

2.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner was allotted Plot No.2, M.Mettupatti Village, Erumaipatti Panchayat Union, Mohanur Taluk, Namakkal District under the Periyar Samathuvapuram Scheme and patta was also granted in favour of the petitioner, however, the tenth respondent has encroached the said premises.



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3.The learned Government Counsel submitted that since the petitioner did not reside in the allotted premises, the patta granted in favour of the petitioner was cancelled and also produced a copy of the cancellation order for perusal of this Court.

4.In view of the above, this writ petition is closed. Liberty is granted to the petitioner to challenge the cancellation order in the manner known to law. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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Index: Yes/ No
Speaking Order: Yes/ No
NCC: Yes/ No

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