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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 20-11-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE K. SURENDER

Case QR

WP No. 46934 of 2026

CNR:{HCMA012695582026}

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..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The District Collector,
   Office of the District Collector, A Block, 2nd Floor, Collectorate Campus, Sathvachari,
   Vellore - 632009.
2. The District Revenue Officer,
   Office of the District Revenue Officer,
   Collectorate Campus, A Block, Sathuvachari,
   Vellore - 632009.
3. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
   Office of the Revenue Divisional Officer,
   District Collectorate Campus, Sathuvachari,
   Vellore District - 632009.
4. The Tahsildar,
   Vellore Taluk, Office of the Tahsildar,
   Velapadi, Vellore.
5. The Block Development Officer,
   Vellore Panchayat Union, Vellore.

..Respondent(s)

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Mandamus to direction the 2nd respondent to consider and pass orders on the representation made by the petitioner to rectify the revenue records in respect of the errors that crept in pursuant to the UDR in respect of the property comprised in S.No.130/7 and 130/9 to an extent of 2 cents, situated at Sathiperi village, vellore District as sought vide petitioners representation lastly dated 12/7/26, within a time frame.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.Ikowser Nissar
For Respondent(s): Mr.PMN.Bhagavath Krishnan Additional Government Pleader

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ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking direction to the 2nd respondent to consider and pass orders on the petitioner's representation lastly dated 12.07.2026 to rectify the errors that had crept into the revenue records during the UDR scheme in respect of the property comprised in S.Nos. 130/7 and 130/9, measuring an extent of 2 cents, situated at Sadupperi Village, Vellore District, within a stipulated time frame.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the subject property originally belonged to the petitioner's father, Late S.P.Parasuraman, by virtue of a registered Sale Deed dated 09.10.1952 (Document No. 2264/1952) and has been utilized by their family as a private passage. After the demise of the petitioner's parents, the property devolved upon the petitioner and the other legal heirs. However, during the UDR scheme, the said 2 cents of private land were erroneously classified as a street in the revenue records. Though the petitioner submitted representations, lastly on 12.07.2026, to the 2nd respondent seeking rectification of the UDR error, no action has been taken till date.

3. The learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents submitted that in the event of any fresh representation being submitted by the petitioner along with supporting documents, the same shall

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also be considered and disposed of on merits and in accordance with law within a reasonable time frame fixed by this Court.

4. Heard both sides and perused the materials available on record.

5. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, and without going into the merits of the matter, the petitioner is directed to submit a fresh representation along with all relevant title and revenue documents to the 2nd respondent (The District Revenue Officer, Vellore District) within a period of two (2) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. On receipt of the same, the 2nd respondent shall consider and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law, after issuing due notice and affording an opportunity of personal hearing to the petitioner, the other legal heirs, and any other interested parties/objectors, within a period of eight (8) weeks thereafter.

6. With the above directions, this Writ Petition stands disposed of. No costs.

K.SURENDER J.
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Index: Yes/No
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