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W.P.Crl.No.505 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

**DATED: 17.03.2026**

CORAM:

**THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA**

**W.P.(Crl.)No.505 of 2026**

N.S.Ziauddeen

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Principal Secretary for Home Department,  
St.George Fort, Chennai – 600 009.
2. The Directorate of Vigilance & Anti-Corruption,  
No.292, M.K.N. Road,  
Alandur, Chennai – 600 016.
3. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,  
Vigilance & Anti-Corruption,  
Nallipalayam, Namakkal – 03.
4. The Superintendent of Police,  
Namakkal District, Namakkal.
5. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,  
Namakkal Town, Namakkal.
6. The Inspector of Police,  
Namakkal Town, Namakkal.

... Respondents

**PRAYER:** Writ Petition (Criminal) is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of Mandamus or direction in the nature of writ, to give direction to the first respondent to consider and dispose of representation dated 13.05.2024 within a stipulated time.



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For Petitioner : Mr.K.Shankararaman

For Respondents : Mr.S.Udayakumar  
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

## **ORDER**

The present Writ Petition (Criminal) has been filed seeking a direction to the first respondent to consider and dispose of the petitioner's representation dated 13.05.2024 within a stipulated time.

2. It is submitted by the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner that since the representation of the petitioner dated 13.05.2024 has not been considered so far by the respondents, the present petition has been filed.

3. The Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondents, produced the Status Report on behalf of respondents 2, 3 and 5. By reiterating the contents of the said Status Report, he submitted that the representation of the petitioner had been duly considered and that on finding that the dispute are civil in nature, no further action was taken and that the petitioner was advised to work out his remedy before the appropriate civil forum.



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4. The scanned copy of the relevant paragraphs of the Status Report filed on behalf of respondents 2, 3 and 5 are reproduced hereunder-

4. It is respectfully submitted that the petitioner's first representation dated 16.05.2023 was received by this Directorate on 24.05.2023 in which the allegations were raised against the Officials of Registration Department and his brother Tr.Hidayathulla.N.S. The Joint 2 sub registrar in collusion with his younger brother and an advocate Tr.N.S.Hidayathullah prepared the settlement deed by suppressing the IBBA. Hence, the petitioner requested to cancel the settlement deed no 159/2022 dated 01-01-2022.

5. It is respectfully submitted that the said petition was scrutinized by this Directorate and forwarded to the Inspector General of Registration, Chennai vide reference in DVAC Petn.No.6410/2023/REGN/NK, dated: 19.06.2023 for taking necessary action at their end, since they are in the right position to look in to the matter and act upon such petition. Further, the said forwarding was duly informed to the petitioner on the same date vide reference in DVAC Petition No.6410/2023/REGN/NK, dated 19.06.2023

6. It is respectfully submitted that the above said forwarding was effected as per the instruction issued in Govt. Memo No.1356/64/2, Public (Services-B) dated:08.04.1964 and incorporated in Para 10(3) of the Manual of the Directorate of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption.

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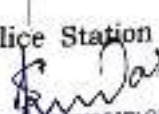
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7. It is respectfully submitted that the petitioner's second representation dated 13.05.2024, addressed to the Principal Secretary to Government, Home Department, Secretariat, Chennai 9, and a copy marked to DVAC was received by this Directorate on 14.05.2024. In which the petitioner requested the Government to direct the Inspector of Police, Namakkal Police Station to conduct an investigation and to file a charge sheet on the complaint of the petitioner in connection with property issue and money dispute between the legal heirs of the petitioner.

8. It is respectfully submitted that the petitioner's representation 13.05.2024 was scrutinized in this Directorate and forwarded to the Superintendent of Police, Namakkal District as per the request of the petitioner vide reference in DVAC Petn.No.5823/2024/MISC/NK dated 17.05.2024 for taking necessary action at their end. The said forwarding were effected as per the above said DVAC Manual.

9. It is respectfully submitted that the action taken report for the above said petition was obtained from the Superintendent of Police, Namakkal District, stating that there is a family dispute between the petitioner and his legal heirs with respect to property issue and the petitioner's brother has failed to settle the sale consideration of Rs.2,25,00,000/- to the petitioner as promised by him. Hence, the Inspector of Police, Namakkal Police Station has

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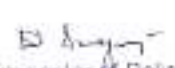
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given directions to the petitioner to settle the issue before the appropriate civil forum. Further the action taken report was duly sent to the petitioner by the authorities.

I respectfully pray that this Honorable Court may be pleased to accept this Status Report and pass orders which deem fit and proper in the circumstances stated above and thus render Justice.

Solemnly affirmed at Madras on  
this 17<sup>th</sup> day of March 2026 and  
signed in my presence.

  
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5. Having heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and upon perusal of the materials available on record, including the Status Report, and finding that the representation of the petitioner had been duly considered and the same was informed to the petitioner, this Court is of the opinion that no further orders are required in this case.



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6. At this juncture, the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner sought the indulgence of this Court to grant him liberty to approach the District Crime Branch seeking appropriate relief.

7. In view of the above, the Writ Petition (Criminal) stands closed. However, the petitioner is at liberty to approach the District Crime Branch, seeking appropriate relief, in accordance with law.

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Neutral Citation: Yes/No



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