



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 02-01-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ABDUL QUDDHOSE

WP No. 49518 of 2025

1. S.Winfred
2. W.Whiteley Evanson
3. Susan Lavanya

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Tahsildhar, Madhavaram Taluk, Gandhi Road, Balaji Nagar, Puzhal, Chennai- 600 066.
2. The Revenue Divisional Officer, Chennai North, Gandhi Road, Balaji Nagar, Puzhal, Chennai- 600 066.
3. The District Collector, Chennai District, Singaravelar Maaligai, Chennai- 600 001.

..Respondent(s)

Directing the respondents herein to take immediate action for deleting the re- classification of the petitioners ' lands comprised in S.No.447/5 and 447/6 of Puzhal village, Madhavaram Taluk, as government lands in the revenue records and to restore the same as the petitioners' private property and also to issue computerized patta in the petitioners' joint names for the said property.

For Petitioner(s):

MR.J.THILAGARAJ

For Respondent(s):

MR.C.JAYA PRAKASH
GOVT ADVOCATE



ORDER

This writ petition has been filed seeking for a direction to the respondents to reclassify the petitioners' lands, morefully described in the prayer to this writ petition, as their private lands instead of Government lands in the revenue records.

2. The petitioners claim that they initially purchased the subject property from one Mr.Mohd. Khan, who acquired the same through an assignment order executed by the Government. According to the petitioners, arbitrarily, now, the subject lands have been classified as Government lands. The petitioners seek for restoration of the said lands as private lands in the revenue records, and they had given a representation to the respondents to reclassify the subject lands as private lands. Since the said representation has not been considered till date, the petitioners have filed this writ petition.

3. Mr.C.Jayaprakash, learned Government Advocate, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents, and on instructions, he submits that the petitioners' representation is under consideration by the respondents and that final orders will be passed within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.



4. No prejudice will be caused to the respondents if a direction is given to them to pass final orders, on the representation dated 06.10.2025 submitted by the petitioners, on merits and in accordance with law, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court. Accordingly, this writ petition is disposed of by directing the third respondent to pass final orders on the representation dated 06.10.2025 submitted by the petitioners, on merits and in accordance with law, after giving due consideration to the documents filed along with their representation dated 06.10.2025, within a period of 12 weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No Costs.

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Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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To

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