



W.P.(MD).No.744 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 12.01.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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M.Rajalingam

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector/Chairman,
The District Rural Development Agency,
Sivagangai District,
Sivagangai.

2. The Project Director,
District Rural Development Agency,
Sivagangai District,
Sivagangai.

3. The Block Development Officer
(Village Panchayat),
Sivagangai Block,
Sivagangai.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the third respondent to forthwith release and disburse a sum of Rs.48,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Eight Lakhs only) being the legitimate and admitted amount due and payable to the petitioner for the works duly executed and completed under the



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Jal Jeevan Mission in Vaniyangudi Panchayat, Sivagangai District within a specified time frame as may be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.A.Mohan
For R1 and R2 : Mr.B.Saravanan
Additional Government Pleader
For R3 : Mr M.Muthmanikkam
Government Advocate

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed seeking a Mandamus as against the third respondent to release and disburse a sum of Rs.48,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Eight Lakhs only) being the bill amount for the work executed and completed under the Jal Jeevan Mission in Vaniyangudi Panchayat, Sivagangai District.

2. According to the learned counsel appearing for the writ petitioner, the work has been completed long back and so far the bill amount has not been cleared. Seeking the said amount, a representation has been given to the third respondent on 09.12.2025. Since there is no response, the present writ petition has been filed.



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3. Considering the above said facts, the third respondent is directed to consider the request of the petitioner and pass orders within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. With the above said observation, this Writ Petition stands disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

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NCC : Yes/No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes / No
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