



W.P(MD)No.1752 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 29.01.2026

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI**

**W.P(MD)No.1752 of 2026
and
W.M.P(MD)Nos.1367 & 1368 of 2026**

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... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The District Collector,
Virudhunagar District.
- 2.The District Surveyor,
Virudhunagar District.
- 3.The Tahsildar,
Kariyapatti Taluk Office,
Virudhunagar District.
- 4.The Circle Revenue Inspector,
Mallanginar,
Kariyapatti,
Virudhunagar District.
- 5.The Taluk Surveyor,
Kariapatti Taluk,
Virudhunagar District.



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6.The Village Administrative Officer,
Alagiyallur Village,
Kariyapatti Taluk,
Virudhunagar District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to call for the records relating to the impugned order passed by the third respondent in Na.Ka.A8/0165/2025 dated 07.01.2026 and quash the same as illegal and consequently direct the respondents not to interfere in the peaceful possession of the petitioner in her patta land situated in Survey No. 76/1 of Alagiyallur Village, Kariyapatti Taluk, Virudhunagar District, by considering the petitioner's explanation dated 31.12.2025.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Vishnuvardhan

For Respondents : Mr.C.Venkatesh Kumar
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner assails the impugned notice under Section 6 of the Land Encroachment Act, 1905. As pointed out by the learned Special Government Pleader, the notice calls upon the petitioner to remove the encroachment said to have been committed in Survey No.76/1. Admittedly, the petitioner does not have any claim over Survey No.76/1. The petitioner holds



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his patta land only in Survey No.166/3. Therefore, the question of interfering with the impugned notice does not arise at all. We however make it clear that in the guise of enforcing under Section 6 of the Land Encroachment Act, 1906 the authorities should not interfere with the petitioner's patta land comprised in Survey No.166/3.

2.With the aforesaid observation and direction, this Writ Petition stands dismissed. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

[G.R.S., J.] [B.P., J.]
29.01.2026

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