



W.P.(MD) No.3312 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 30.01.2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE KRISHNAN RAMASAMY

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... Petitioner

Vs

1. The District Collector,
Kanyakumari District
At Nagercoil.
2. The District Health Officer,
Kanyakumari District,
At Nagercoil.
3. The District Environmental Engineer,
Pollution Control Board,
318/46A, Water Tank Road,
Ramavarmapuram, Nagercoil,
Kanyakumari District.
4. The Sub Collector,
Padmanabhapuram,
Thuckalay,
Kanyakumari District.
5. The Tahsildar,
Vilavancode Taluk,
Kuzhithurai and Post,
Kanyakumari District.
6. The Inspector of Police,
Arumanai Police Station,
Arumanai, Kanyakumari District.



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7. The Panchayat President,
Puliyur Salai Village Panchayat,
Puliyur Salai, Kanyakumari District.

8. The Block Health Officer /Health Inspector,
Government Primary Health Centre,
Edaicode, Edaicode Post,
Kanyakumari District.

9. Anish

10. Arulamma

11. Yesudoss ... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 8 to consider the petitioner's representations dated 13.04.2023, 12.09.2023, 14.09.2023, 15.09.2023 and 14.10.2023 and to take appropriate action to prevent the 9th respondent from Timber Industry in Survey Nos. 286/9 and 286/11 of Puliyur Salai Village, Vilavancode Taluk, Kanyakumari District.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.R.Sreenivasan

For Respondents : Mrs.K.Malathi,
Addl. Govt. Pleader for R1, R2,
R4, R5, R7 & R8
Mrs.Madhuri Donti Reddy for R3
Mr.A.Albert James,
Govt. Advocate (Crl Side) for R6



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ORDER

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This Writ Petition is filed seeking a direction to the respondents 1 to 8 to consider the petitioner's representations dated 13.04.2023, 12.09.2023, 14.09.2023, 15.09.2023 and 14.10.2023 and to take appropriate action to prevent the 9th respondent from Timber Industry in Survey Nos. 286/9 and 286/11 of Puliur Salai Village, Vilavancode Taluk, Kanyakumari District.

2. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is no more.

3. However, the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the official respondents would submit that the prayer in the Writ Petition has become infructuous, since the Timber Industry has already been closed.

4. Recording the same, this Writ Petition is closed. There shall be no order as to costs.

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