



W.P.(MD)No.4656 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 19.02.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.SURENDER

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R.Pushpam Ammal

... Petitioner

-VS-

- 1.The District Collector,
Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.
- 2.The District Revenue Officer,
Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.
- 3.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Thoothukudi,
Thoothukudi District.
- 4.The Tahsildar,
Taluk Office,
Ottapidaram Taluk,
Thoothukudi District.
- 5.R.Lenin Bharathi
- 6.R.Thangamani
- 7.R.Pattukani



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8.R.Ramalakshmi

9.R.Rajesh

10.R.Jeyamandhagini

11.R.Vijaya Anitha

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to implement the final Civil Court's judgment and decree passed in O.S.No.559 of 2011, dated 22.06.2016, on the file of the Additional District Munsif Court, Thoothukudi, and to issue Patta in the petitioner's favour in respect of the property comprised in Survey No.173/2 measuring an extent of 25 cents, situated at Kumarakiri Village, Thoothukudi District, by considering the petitioner's representation dated 04.11.2025, within the period that may be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Venkatesalu

For R1 to R4 : Mr.B.Ramanathan
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The Writ Petition has been filed seeking issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to implement the Civil Court's final judgment and decree passed in O.S.No.559 of 2011, dated 22.06.2016, on the file of the



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Additional District Munsif Court, Thoothukudi, and to issue Patta in favour of the petitioner in respect of the property comprised in Survey No.173/2 measuring an extent of 25 cents, situated at Kumarakiri Village, Thoothukudi District, by considering the petitioner's representation dated 04.11.2025, within the period that may be fixed by this Court.

2. By consent, the Writ Petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

3. Since no adverse orders are going to be passed against the respondents 5 to 11, notice to the respondents 5 to 11 is hereby dispensed with.

4. The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is the absolute owner and is in possession and enjoyment of the subject property. Due to an erroneous revenue classification, a third party fraudulently created a forged Patta and interfered with the petitioner's possession, thereby, compelling her to file O.S.No.559 of 2011 before the Additional District Munsif Court, Thoothukudi. The said suit was decreed on 22.06.2016, granting a declaration of



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title, a mandatory injunction directing issuance of Patta, and a permanent injunction. The appeal in A.S.No.72 of 2016, which was preferred against the judgment and decree of the lower Court, was dismissed on 23.08.2023, and thus, the judgment has attained finality. Despite repeated representations seeking implementation of the Civil Court's judgment and decree and issuance of Patta in favour of the petitioner, no action has been taken. Hence, the present Writ Petition has been filed.

5. The learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents 1 to 4 submits that the respondents 1 to 4 require eight weeks' time to pass appropriate orders in accordance with law.

6. Recording the above submissions, this Writ Petition is disposed of, with a direction to the respondents 1 to 4 to pass appropriate orders in accordance with law, after giving due opportunity to the petitioner, the respondents 5 to 11 and all other persons, who may be interested in the subject matter, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. It is also made clear that this Court has not expressed any of its views with regard to the merits of the



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matter and that it is open to the respondents 1 to 4 to pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law. There shall be no order as to costs.

NCC : Yes / No
Index : Yes / No
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(K.SURENDER, J.)
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