



W.P.(MD) No.4933 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 24.02.2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.SURENDER

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Saraswathi

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The District Collector,
Collectorate,
Sivagangai District - 630 562.
- 2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Eluvankottai Road, Devakottai,
Sivagangai District - 630 303.
- 3.The Tahsildar,
Thirupattur Taluk Office,
Thirupattur,
Sivagangai District - 630 211.
- 4.Subramanian,
Village Administrative Officer,
Kandaramanikam Village,
Sivagangai District.
- 5.Lakshmanan Raji

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the first to fourth respondents to include the petitioner's name in the Patta No.912 for the



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property situated at Kandaramanikam Village in Survey No.346/9 to an extent of 23 cents by considering the petitioner's representation dated 13.06.2025 within the time frame stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.A.Robinson

For R1 to R3 : Mr.D.Sadiq Raja
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the first to fourth respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 13.06.2025 and consequently include the petitioner's name in Patta No. 912 in respect of the property measuring an extent of 23 cents in Survey No. 346/9, situated at Kandaramanickam Village, within a time frame to be stipulated by this Court.

2. With the consent of the parties, this Writ Petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself, dispensing with the notice to the fourth and fifth respondents, as no adverse orders are proposed to be passed against them.



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3. The grievance of the petitioner is that she has a share in the subject property, which originally belonged to the father of her mother-in-law. The petitioner's mother-in-law, i.e., the mother of her husband, had a sister. Each of them is entitled to a $\frac{1}{2}$ share in the property. However, without issuing notice to the petitioner, the patta was transferred in favour of the fifth respondent, who is the grandson of the said sister, in Patta No. 912. Therefore, the petitioner submitted a representation dated 13.06.2025 to the first to fourth respondents seeking inclusion of her name in the said patta in respect of the subject property. Since no action has been taken on the said representation, the petitioner has been constrained to file the present Writ Petition.

4. The learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the first to third respondents, on instructions, would submit that the petitioner's representation dated 13.06.2025 would be considered and appropriate orders would be passed by the third respondent within a period of twelve weeks.

5. Recording the above submission and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the matter, this Writ Petition is disposed of with a



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direction to the third respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 13.06.2025 and pass appropriate orders on its merits and in accordance with law within a period of twelve (12) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. The third respondent is also directed to provide a reasonable opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, the fifth respondent and any other interested parties who may be affected by such decision, before passing any order. There shall be no order as to costs.

[K.SURENDER, J.]
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