



W.P.(MD).No.29 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 05.01.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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T.G.Rajendran

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Collector,
Thanjavur District,
Collectorate Office,
Thanjavur.

2. The Project Director,
District Rural Development Agency,
Collectorate,
Thanjavur.

3. The Block Development Officer,
Papanasam Block,
Thanjavur District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to refund the deducted amount to the petitioner within the time fixed by this Court considering the petitioner's representation dated 22.09.2025.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Narayanan



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For R1 and R2 : Mr.M.Gangadharan
Government Advocate

For R3 : Mr.K.S.Selvaganesan
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed by a Government Contractor seeking a Mandamus directing the respondents to refund the deducted amount to the petitioner within a time to be fixed by this Court.

2. A perusal of the records reveal that the petitioner is a Government Contractor and while releasing the bill, certain amounts have been retained by the respondents. Hence, the petitioner has given a representation dated 22.09.2025 to the third respondent. So far, no orders have been passed. Hence the present writ petition.

3. Considering the above said facts, the third respondent is directed to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 22.09.2025 and pass orders on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



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

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