



**WP(MD). No.1682 of 2026**

**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT**

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**Date : 09/02/2026**

**CORAM**

**The Hon`ble Mr.Justice KRISHNAN RAMASAMY**

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and WMP(MD) No.1327 of 2026**

1. J.Shanavas,  
2. Mohammed Abdul Kadar,, ... Petitioners

**Vs**

1. The Principal Secretary,  
Department of Bc, Mbc and Minorities Welfare,  
Secretariat, Chennai-600 009.

2. The District Collector,  
Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District..

3. The Chief Accounting Officer,,  
Office of the Tamil Nadu Wakf Board,  
D.No.1, Jaffer Syrang Street, Chennai-1.

4. The Chief Executive Officer,,  
Office of the Tamil Nadu Wakf Board,  
D.No.1, Jaffer Syrang Street, Chennai-1..

5. The Waqf Superintendent,,  
K.A.P. Shopping Complex,  
T.V.M. Road, Palayamkottai Post,  
Tirunelveli-627 002..

6. The Waqf Inspector,,  
K.A.P. Shopping Complex,  
T.V.M. Road,  
Palayamkottai Post,  
Tirunelveli-627 002..



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7. The Commissioner,,  
Nagercoil Corporation, Nagercoil,  
Kanyakumari District..

8. The Executive Committee of Malik Dinar Mosque,,  
(Register Under Waqf Act 46(1) G.S.No.18/k.K/a2/ag Plus 1957)  
Represented by its President, S.Sugarno,  
Arippu Street, Kottar.

... 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 1 to 6 to consider and pass appropriate orders on the petitioners' representation dated 01.11.2025 and 15.11.2025 within a time frame to be fixed by this Honble Court and Restraining the 8th respondent from carrying out any demolition, reconstruction or rebuilding work in the Malikdinar Mosque Waqf property without obtaining prior permission from the Tamil Nadu Waqf Board and the competent Municipal Authority, and in accordance with law forthwith.

For Petitioners : Mr.J.Jeevin

For Respondents : Mr.C.Satheesh for R1 and R2

Government Advocate

Mr.D.S.Haroon Rasheed for R3 to R6

Mr.A.Haja Mohideen for R8

### **ORDER**

The writ petition has been filed for a mandamus to direct the respondents 1 to 6 to consider and pass appropriate orders on the petitioners' representations dated 01.11.2025 and 15.11.2025 within a time frame to be fixed by this Court and restraining the 8<sup>th</sup> respondent



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from carrying out any demolition, reconstruction or rebuilding work in the Malikdinar Mosque Waqf property without obtaining prior permission from the Tamil Nadu Waqf Board and the competent Municipal Authority, and in accordance with law forthwith.

2. When the writ petition is taken up for hearing, the learned counsel for the 8<sup>th</sup> respondent would submit that already they have demolished the wakf property and that the prayer has become infructuous. The said submission is recorded.

3. Recording the said submission, the writ petition is dismissed as having become infructuous. No costs. Consequently connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

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**NCC : Yes/No**

**Index : Yes/No**

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