



W.P.No.1056 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 21.01.2026

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ABDUL QUDDHOSE

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K.Jayaraman

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Revenue Officer,
Namakkal District,
Collectorate,
Namakkal – 637 003.

2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Collectorate,
Namakkal – 637 003.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the Respondents to pass orders on the application submitted by the petitioner dated 05.07.2023 for deletion of entry of the name of Chinnaa Gounder, son of Thandaa Gounder in the Settlement Register in respect of land in S.No.9/5 and 12/1A Konur Village, Namakkal Taluk and district, after due enquiry, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Nedunchezhiyan

For Respondents : Mr.S.Arumugam
Government Advocate



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ORDER

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This Writ Petition has been filed to direct the respondents to pass final orders on the petitioner's application, dated 05.07.2023 for deletion of the name of Chinnaa Gounder, S/o.Thandaa Gounder in the settlement register in respect of the property morefully described in the prayer to this writ petition, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

2. Mr.S.Arumugam, learned Government Advocate, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

3. The petitioner claims that in the settlement register for the property morefully described in the prayer to this writ petition, the name of Chinnaa Gounder, S/o.Thandaa Gounder has been erroneously included. The petitioner seeks for deletion of his name. The petitioner had made an application on 05.07.2023 to the respondent for the said purpose.

4. The learned counsel for the petitioner also contends that even before the aforesaid application dated 05.07.2023 was given by the petitioner, enquiry was conducted on the request made by the petitioner seeking for deletaion of the name of Chinnaa Gounder, S/o.Thandaa Gounder in the settlement register for the property described in the prayer



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to this writ petition. However, he would submit that till date, no final order has been passed.

5. No prejudice would be caused to the respondents, if a direction is issued to the 2nd respondent to pass final orders on merits and in accordance with law on the petitioner's application dated 05.07.2023 seeking for deletion of the name of Chinnaa Gounder, S/o.Thandaa Gounder in the settlement register in respect of the property morefully described in the prayer to this writ petition, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court, after hearing the objections, if any, from the said Chinnaa Gounder, S/o.Thandaa Gounder and any third party as they deem fit.

6. This Court is not expressing any opinion on the merits of the petitioner's application.

7. For the foregoing reasons, this Writ Petition is disposed of, by directing the 2nd respondent to pass final orders on merits and in accordance with law, on the petitioner's application, dated 05.07.2023 seeking for delection of the name of Chinnaa Gounder, S/o.Thandaa



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Gounder in the settlement register in respect of the property morefully described in the prayer to this writ petition, after hearing the objections, if any, from the said Chinnaa Gounder, S/o.Thandaa Gounder and any other third party, whom the 2nd respondent deems it fit to enquire, within a period of twelve (12) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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