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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 21-04-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ABDUL QUDDHOSE

WP No. 15564 of 2026

and W.M.P. No.16769 of 2026

T.Venkateshappa

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The District Revenue officer
District Revenue office,
Krishnagiri District.
2. The Sub Collector
Office of the Sub Collectorate,
Hosur 635 109
Krishnagiri District.
3. The Tahsildar
Hosur Taluk,
Krishnagiri District.
4. The Village Administrative officer
V. No 75 Badathepally,
Hosur Taluk,
Krishnagiri District.
5. R. Manjunath Reddy

..Respondent(s)



PRAYER – This Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, seeking a Writ of Certiorari, calling for the records of the 1st Respondent issued in Pa.Mu 24570/ 2025/ J2, dated 20.02.2026, quash the same.

For Petitioner(s): Ms.R.Divyapreathika

For Respondent(s): Mr.D.Ravichander,
Special Government Pleader
(For R1 to R4)

ORDER

The petitioner has challenged the impugned order dated 20.02.2026 under which the petitioner's patta has been cancelled. The petitioner has filed supporting documents along with this Writ Petition in support of his case that the patta standing in the name of the petitioner has been arbitrarily cancelled, despite the fact that the petitioner was issued patta for the subject property as early as in the year 2016. The petitioner also claims that no personal hearing was afforded by the 1st respondent in the impugned proceedings.

2.The matter requires further examination by this Court. Only after a counter is filed by the respondents, this Court will be in a position to dispose of the matter on merits and in accordance with law. But since a *prima-facie* case has been made out by the petitioner, there shall be an order of interim stay of



the operation of the impugned order dated 20.02.2026, passed by the 1st respondent until further orders.

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3.Mr.D.Ravichander, learned Special Government Pleader, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents 1 to 4.

4.Notice to the 5th respondent returnable by 21.07.2026. Private notice is also permitted.

5.Post the matter on 21.07.2026.

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Index: Yes/No

Speaking/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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