



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 16-03-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE KRISHNAN RAMASAMY

**WP No. 21220 of 2024 and
WMP.No.23165 of 2024**

1. S.Murugan
2. Manickam,
3. Pothukkan @ Rajagopal,
4. Raman,
5. Sabari,
6. Kuppusamy @ Kuppan,
7. Venkatesan,
8. G. Kuppusamy @ Kuppan.

..Petitioners

Vs

1. The District Collector,
Office Of District Collectorate,
Krishnagiri -635115.
2. The District Revenue Officer,
Office Of District Collector Office,
District Collectorate Road,
Krishnagiri -635115.
3. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Office Of Revenue Divisional Office,
Krishnagiri - 635115.
4. The Tahsildar,
Office Of Krishnagiri Taluk,
Krishnagiri - 635115.



5. The Sub-Registrar,
Kaverpattinam Sub-Registration Officer,
Kaverpattinam
Krishnagiri - 635112.

6. Ramanathan,

7. Varatha Nainar,

8. Perumal,

9. Kaliyappan,

10. Kumarasamy Nainar,

11. Saroja,

..Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India seeking for issuance of Writ of Mandamus to direct the 2nd respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 26.04.2024 to restore entries by rectifying the improper mutation in the land records pertaining to Survey nos.336 and 310/2 of Aavathvadi Village, Krishnagiri Taluk and District, and to incorporate the names of the petitioners/legal heirs, in lines of the Title Deed No.1, dated 12.11.1910, issued by then Governor of Madras Presidency for the lands in Survey No.336 and 310/2 of Aavathvadi Village, Mottur Tharappu, Krishnagiri Taluk and District, within a time frame.

For Petitioner:

Mr.P.G.Thiyagu

For Respondents:

Mr.T.K.Saravanan (R1 to R5)
Additional Government Pleader
R6,R7 and R11 (died)
Mr.T.Panchatsaram
(R8 to R10)



ORDER

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This Writ Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the 2nd respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 26.04.2024 to restore entries by rectifying the improper mutation in the land records pertaining to Survey nos.336 and 310/2 of Aavathvadi Village, Krishnagiri Taluk and District, and to incorporate the names of the petitioners/legal heirs, in lines of the Title Deed No.1, dated 12.11.1910, issued by then Governor of Madras Presidency for the lands in Survey No.336 and 310/2 of Aavathvadi Village, Mottur Tharappu, Krishnagiri Taluk and District, within a time frame.

2. Today when the matter is taken up for hearing, the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners' representation was disposed of by the Revenue Divisional Officer/the 3rd respondent herein on 14.05.2025, as against which the petitioner filed an Appeal before the 2nd respondent and the 2nd respondent also disposed of the said Appeal on 29.01.2026, stating that since the writ petition is pending before this Court they are not in a position to pass final orders. He has also produced the proceedings of the 2nd respondent dated 29.01.2026 to that effect.



3. The learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents 1 to 5 would submit that since the Writ Petition is pending before this Court, the 2nd respondent was not in a position to take final decision in this matter. Therefore, he prays for appropriate orders.

4. Heard both sides. Perused the records.

5. Though the present Writ Petition is filed for disposal of the representation of the petitioners, the same was disposed of by the 3rd respondent on 14.05.2025 and as against which appeal was preferred before the 2nd respondent and while disposing of the Appeal, the said Authority has been stated that they could not pass final orders in this matter due to pendency of this Writ Petition.

6. Such being the case, since no final decision is taken by the 2nd respondent, this Court in order to give quietus to the matter, directs the 2nd respondent to pass final orders on the Appeal preferred by the petitioners, on merits and in accordance with law, after giving notice to the petitioner as well as the private respondents and also after affording an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, the private respondents as well as the persons concerned, as expeditiously as possible.



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With the aforesaid direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

WMP.No.23165 of 2024 is ordered subject to payment of separate Court fee.

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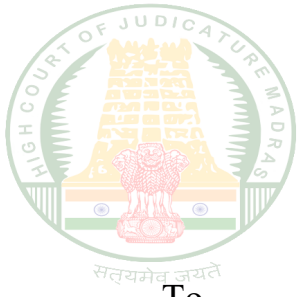
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