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WP No. 45065 of 2025



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 26-11-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

WP No. 45065 of 2025

and

WMP.No. 50218 of 2025

1. K.Karuppasamy

2.K.Sambath Kumar

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Government Of Tamilnadu
Rep By Its Secretary To Government,
Natural Resources Department,
Fort St.George, Chennai-600 009.

2.The Director Of Geology and Mining
Industrial Estate, Guindy,
Chennai-600 032.

3.The District Collector,
Tiruppur District, Tiruppur

Respondent(s)



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For Petitioner(s): Mr.B.Vijay for
Mr.S.Mohameduduman

For Respondents: Mr.Stalin Abimanyu
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

Admit.

2.Mr.Stalin Abimanyu, learned Additional Government Pleader takes notice for the respondents.

3.It is the case of the petitioner that the petitioner obtained a quarry license for quarrying rough stone but, quarried and transported 1260 cbm of rough stone without environmental clearance certificate during the period from 15.01.2016 to 29.04.2016, to which, the respondent directed the petitioner to remit a 100% cost value of the illegally quarried minerals at Rs.3,71,700/-. Since the ex-lessee had remitted a sum of Rs.56,700/-, the petitioner was directed to deposit the balance sum of Rs.3,15,000/- by the impugned order dated 06.10.2025. Challenging the same, the present writ petition is filed.



4. This Court finds *prima facie* case in favour of the petitioner. Hence, there will be an order of interim stay, on condition, the petitioner shall deposit a sum of Rs.1,65,000/- within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

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Speaking/Non-speaking order

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Neutral Citation:Yes/No

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