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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 18-06-2026

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THE HONOURABLE MRS JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

W.P(MD) NO. 477 OF 2022

and WMP(MD) No.12474 of 2026

M.Selvaraj

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The District Collector,
Tirunelveli District,
Tirunelveli.
2. The District Collector,
Tenkasi District ,
Tenkasi .
3. The Revenue Divisional Officer
Cheranmahadevi
Tirunelveli District
Tirunelveli.
4. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Tenkasi ,
Tenkasi District.
5. The Superintending Engineer
Ramanathi Dam Project
Kadayam
Tirunelveli District.

Respondent(s)



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For Petitioner(s) : M/s.A.Devaki

For Respondent(s): Mr.I.Pinaygash,
Counsel for the State of Tamilnadu

Prayer:To issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the Respondents , More particularly the 1st Respondent to handover back the property bearing Survey No.349/1A Measuring to and extent of 2.65 Acres situated at Melakadayam Village , Ambasamudram Circle , Originally Tirunelveli District and now tenkasi District which was acquired from the Petitioner for the development of Ramanathi Dam Scheme in the year 1983 by the Respondents and now being kept vacant without any usage after receiving the guideline value of the same of a sum of Rs.12,000/- per acre pursuant to the communication of the 1st Respondent under Reference G1.61218/86 dated 27/09/89 to the petitioner forthwith.

ORDER

The petitioner is directed to deposit Rs.32,000/-[Rupees Thirty Two Thousand only] within a period of one week from the date of receipt of a copy of the order.



2. Post the matter on 25.06.2026, for reporting compliance.

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Till then, the respondents are restrained from conducting any auction sale pertaining to the petitioner's land in Survey No.349/1A

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(Note : Issue order copy on 18.06.2026)

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