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W.P.(MD) No.2677 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 02.02.2026

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE DR.JUSTICE G.JAYACHANDRAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN**

**W.P.(MD) No.2677 of 2026
and
W.M.P.(MD) Nos.2298 & 2299 of 2026**

D.Alagu Rama Krishnan

... Petitioner

-VS-

1.The District Collector
Thoothukudi District

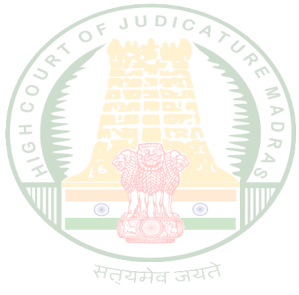
2.The Tahsildar
Eral Taluk
Thoothukudi District

3.The Executive Officer
Eral Selection Grade
Town Panchayat
Thoothukudi District

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of certiorarified mandamus by calling for the entire records pertaining to the impugned proceedings issued by the 2nd respondent in

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Na.Ka.No.Aa1/2493/2025 signed on 22.01.2026 in respect of the properties in Survey No.305/24 (New No.162/10B, 162/10C1 and 162/10C2), Valavallan Village, Eral Taluk, Thoothukudi District, and quash the same and consequently direct the 2nd respondent to issue patta for the said property in his favour.

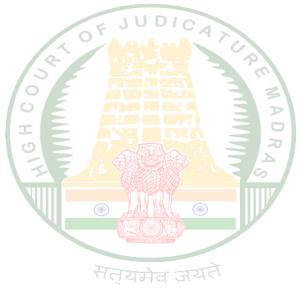
For Petitioner : Mr.R.Anand

For Respondents : Mr.S.P.Maharajan
Special Government Pleader for R1 & R2
Mr.D.Sasi Kumar
Additional Government Pleader for R3

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by DR.G.JAYACHANDRAN, J.]

The notice dated 22.01.2026, issued by the second respondent, under Section 6 of the Tamil Nadu Land Encroachment Act, 1905, after due enquiry, to the petitioner to remove the encroachment of commercial building put up by him in the land classified as “சர்க்கார் நத்தம் காலி மனை”, is under challenge in this writ petition.



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2. Since the statute provides for an appeal remedy, we are not inclined to entertain this writ petition. Accordingly, this writ petition is dismissed. It is for the petitioner to go for an appeal before the authority concerned and work out his remedy in accordance with law, if he is so advised. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

[G.J., J.] [K.K.R.K., J.]

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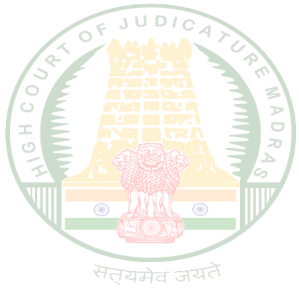
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To:

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