

W.P.(MD)No.4427 of 2026

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 29.04.2026

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUMAR
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.JOTHIRAMAN**

**W.P.(MD)No.4427 of 2026
and
W.M.P.(MD)No.3689 of 2026**

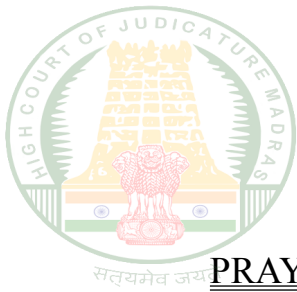
A.Habib Rahman

...Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Municipal Commissioner,
Kodaikanal Municipality,
Kodaikanal,
Dindigul.
2. The Superintendent of Police,
O/o Superintendent of Police,
Dindigul.
3. The Inspector of Police,
Kodaikanal Police Station,
Kodaikanal, Dindigul.
4. Muthukrishnan
5. M.Raja
6. M.Sahayam
7. M.John Arockiyasamy @ Mani

... Respondents



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PRAYER:- Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the 1st respondent to stop the unauthorized construction illegally commenced by the respondent Nos. 4 to 7 in Petitioner's Patta land in Town Survey No.3A2 and 3A1A situates at Block No.20, Town Survey Ward D, Seenivasapuram, Kodaikanal Town, Dindigul District by considering petitioner's representation dated 12.02.2026 preferred to the respondents 1 and 3.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.Lajapathi Roy, Senior Counsel
for Mr.C.M.Arumugam

For Respondents : Mr.T.S.Mohammed Mohideen for R1
Mr.K.Gnanasekaran,
Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side) for R2 & R3
Mr.R.Jeyamohan for R4
Mr.Nirajan S.Kumar
for Mr.K.Anandraj for R7

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by **N.SATHISH KUMAR, J.**)

Pursuant to the earlier direction of this Court, the third respondent filed a status report.

2.The learned counsel for the seventh respondent submitted that the seventh respondent has removed the encroachment on his own. It is further submitted that he has been advised not to indulge in such activities in future. The same is recorded.



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3.The learned counsel appearing on behalf of the Municipality submits that still there are encroachments to be removed and the same will be removed after the election results are published.

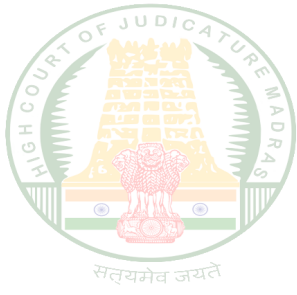
4.In view of the above, let the respondent police give necessary assistance to the Municipality at the time of removal of unauthorized construction.

5.It is made clear that since the seventh respondent has removed the encroachment on his own, no further criminal proceedings should be initiated against him.

6.List on 11.06.2026. Status report shall be filed by then.

[N.S.K., J.] & [M.J.R., J.]
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