

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 24-04-2026

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

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.JOTHIRAMAN

WP(MD) NO. 12295 of 2026

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Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The District Collector,
Office of the District Collector,
Pudukkottai District.
2. The District Revenue Officer,
Office of the District Revenue Officer,
Pudukkottai District.
3. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Office of the Revenue Divisional Officer,
Pudukkottai, Pudukkottai District.
4. The Block Development Officer,
Office of the Block Development Officer,
Gandharvakottai Block, Pudukkottai District.
5. The Tahsildar,
Office of the Tahsildar,
Gandharvakottai Block,
Pudukkottai District.
6. The Village Administrative Officer,
Office of the Village Administrative Officer,
Namburanpatti Village, Gandharvakottai Taluk,
Pudukkottai District.
7. Ravi

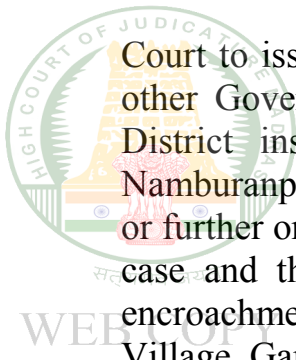
Respondent(s)

For Petitioner(s): Dr.R.Alagumani

For Respondent(s): Mr.D.Sasikumar, Additional Government Pleader
for R1 to R3, R5 & R6

Mr.A.Kannan, Additional Government Pleader, for R4

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this



Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus (a) directing the respondent No.4 to lay road on other Government land in Namburanpatti Village, Gandharvakottai Taluk, Pudukkottai District instead of petitioner's patta land in Survey No. 166/1C and 166/1E in Namburanpatti Village, Gandharvakottai Taluk, Pudukkottai District and pass such other or further orders as this Honble Court may deem fit and proper in the circumstances of this case and thus render justice. (b) Directing the respondent Nos.1 to 5 to remove the encroachment made by the Respondent No.7 in Survey No.167/32 in Namburanpatti Village, Gandharvakottai Taluk, Pudukkottai District.

ORDER

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

It is the contention of the learned counsel for the petitioner that the 4th respondent is trying to lay a road on the petitioner's private property, whereas, the original road is already encroached upon by the 7th respondent and without removing the encroachment, the 4th respondent is trying to lay road on the petitioner's patta land.

2. In view of the said submission, status quo as on today shall be maintained by the respondents till 03.06.2026.

3. Post on 03.06.2026. The official respondents are directed to file status report.

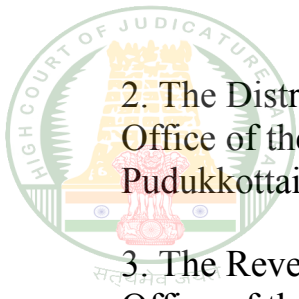
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