



W.A(MD)No. 281 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 09.03.2026

CORAM:

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

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P.Vellaisamy

... Appellant

Vs

1. The District Collector,
District Collectorate Office,
Dindigul District.

2. The District Revenue Officer,
District Revenue Office,
Dindigul District.

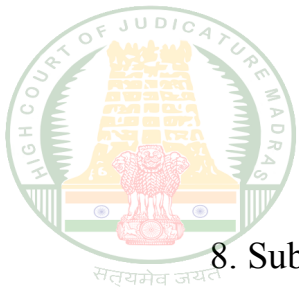
3. The Thasildar,
Thasildar Office,
Nilakottai Taluk,
Dindigul District.

4. Ramakrishnan

5. Kanmani

6. Papathi

7. Meenatchi



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8. Subbuthai

9. Ketchiya

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Appeal filed under Clause 15 of Letters Patent, against the order dated 09.12.2025 in W.P.(MD) No.2015 of 2025.

For Appellant : Mr.K.Samidurai
For R1 to R3 : Mr. S.P.Maharajan
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

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

Challenging the order of the learned Single Judge dismissing the writ petition directing the parties to approach the civil court, the present appeal is filed.

2. It is the grievance of the petitioner that the patta was originally in the name of the petitioner. However, during UDR proceedings, a mistake has occurred and therefore, the name has been changed. The Tahsildar has also affirmed the same and forwarded a report to the District Revenue Officer. However, the District Revenue Officer passed



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the impugned order holding that the petitioner has not produced relevant documents to prove the patta in his name. Hence, the contention is that the Tahsildar clearly recommended that the mistake occurred only during the UDR proceedings and the patta ought to have been given in the name of the petitioner.

3. We have perused the entire records.

4. In fact, the District Revenue Officer has also gone through and found that there is a disputed fact involved in this matter and relegated the parties to go to the civil court. Hence, this Court is of the view that the order of the Single Judge does not require any interference.

5. It is for the appellant to file appropriate suit to establish the rights. The Revenue Authorities shall issue patta pursuant to the final decision of the civil court. The civil court shall decide the issue independently without influencing any observations made by the Revenue Authorities in this regard.



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6. With these observations, this Writ Appeal is dismissed. No costs.

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