

W.P.(MD) No.10484 of 2026

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 16.04.2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR

W.P.(MD) No.10484 of 2026

and

W.M.P(MD) No.8208 of 2026

Selvamadasamy

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The State of Tamil Nadu
Rep. by its Principal Secretary
Department of Revenue and Disaster Management
Fort St.George
Chennai.

2. The Director
Survey and Settlement
Survey House
Chepauk,
Chennai

3. The District Collector
Office of the District Collector
Thoothukudi.



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4. The Assistant Director
Survey and Land Records
Thoothukudi.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, for issuance of a Writ of Certiorari, to call for the records pertaining to the impugned charge memo in Na.Ka.A.5/2425/2024 dated 27.02.2026 issued by the 4th Respondent and quash the same as illegal.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.L.Dhilipan Pandian

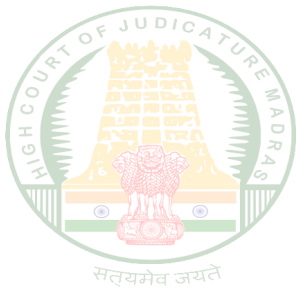
For Respondents : Mr.S.Shaji Bino
Special Government Pleader

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Admit. Notice.

2. Mr.S.Shaji Bino, learned Special Government Pleader, takes notice for the respondents.

3. List the matter on **07.07.2026** for filing counter.



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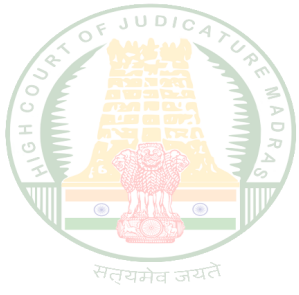
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4. *Prima facie*, it appears that the charge i.e., levelled against the petitioner in Special Case No.10 of 2025 and the charge i.e., levelled against the petitioner in the impugned charge memo is identical and the witnesses that are sought to be examined are also one and the same. Both the charges are levelled in the criminal proceedings as well as in the department proceedings are basing on the same set of facts and same incident. In the circumstances, continuation of the disciplinary proceedings pending trial in the criminal proceedings would cause prejudice to the petitioner.

5. In the light of the above, there shall be an order of interim stay of all further proceedings pursuant to the impugned charge memo.

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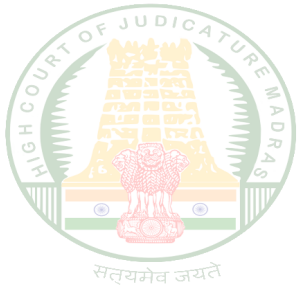
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