



WP(MD) No.19126 of 2024

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Special Original Jurisdiction)

Thursday, the Eighth day of August Two Thousand and Twenty Four

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Ms.Justice P.T.ASHA

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L.PADMAVATHI

... PETITIONER

Vs

1 THE REVENUE DIVISIONAL OFFICER,
SUB COLLECTOR OFFICE ROAD,
PALANI - 624 601.

2 THE TAHSILDAR
PALANI - 624 601,
DINDIGUL DISTRICT.

3 FIRCA SURVEYOR
PALANI - 624 601,
DINDIGUL DISTRICT.

... RESPONDENTS

Writ Petition filed praying that in the circumstances stated therein and in the affidavit filed therewith the High Court may be pleased to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the 1st respondent to consider petitioners representation dated 26.07.2024 to conduct survey and issue Patta in petitioner's name.

ORDER : This Writ Petition coming up for orders on this day, upon perusing the petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Mr.M.SHEIK ABDULLAH, Advocate for the petitioner and of Mr.D.THAMBI DURAL, Government Advocate on behalf of the Respondents, the court made the

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following order:-

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The representation of the petitioner has been sent only on 26.07.2024 and in normal circumstances, this Court would not be inclined to entertain the writ petition. However, the manner in which the respondents have proceeded to dispose of the application is mind-boggling. From the affidavit, it appears that, the petitioner has received an online message stating that on 29.02.2024, the inspection of the property to be conducted.

2. It is the contention of the petitioner that he was available on site and nobody had appeared. However, he had received the first message stating that the patta transfer application was sent by the Firca Surveyor to the Circle Assistant Inspector. Immediately, it is followed by another message stating that the same was sent by the Circle Assistant Inspector to the Tahsildar. Ultimately on the very same day, the application was rejected with a one line non-speaking order.

3. Therefore, the respondents are directed to file a counter affidavit by 14.08.2024 setting out the entire sequence of how they have proceeded to inspect the property with all the attendant documents.



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4. Post on 14.08.2024.

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(C.S. I / II / III / IV)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

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