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R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G SPetition for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No. 16468/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 28-04-2026 in WP No. 13278/2025 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Madras]

S. MURUGANANDHAM

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE HIGHWAYS AND ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER &amp; ORS.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 139429/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT)

Date : 11-05-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K. VINOD CHANDRAN

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. Anish R. Shah, AOR  
Mr. B. Vijay, Adv.  
Mr. Ankit Sahu, Adv.

For Respondent(s) :

UPON hearing the counsel, the Court made the following  
O R D E R

Application for exemption from filing a certified copy of the impugned judgment is allowed.

Issue notice, returnable on 24.08.2026.

Notice shall be served by all modes, including *dasti*.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is at liberty to serve the standing/designated counsel for the State of Tamil Nadu and the National Highways Authority of India.

*Status quo*, obtaining as on date, with regard to the title and possession over the subject land, shall be maintained till the next hearing.

(DEEPAK GUGLANI)  
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

(PREETI SAXENA)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)