

Respected Hon'ble Prime Minister,

Good Day!!!

I am A.K.S.Thangaraj, a citizen of Azhagappapuram,Sathankularm (Talk),Tuticorin,TamilNadu, writing this letter with utmost respect and hope. I wish to bring to your kind attention the following matter of importance:

1. Request to Reclaim a Corner Piece of Land Currently Occupied by ISRO
2. The land value fixed by ISRO is very low and Request revisit.
3. I humbly request your kind consideration to provide a suitable job opportunity at ISRO to any member of the family who has sacrificed their land

1. Request to Reclaim a Corner Piece of Land Currently Occupied by ISRO

I am writing to bring to your kind attention a deeply personal and emotional matter. ISRO has filed a legal case regarding the occupation of our land for the development of a satellite launch pad near Kulasekarapattinam, at Azhagappapuram. The legal case, LAOP No. 43/2024, has been ongoing since 06.05.2024 in the Hon'ble Tuticorin Court. However, neither I nor my family—including my brothers—have ever agreed to or signed any document consenting to hand over this property. This land rightfully belongs to our family and is registered in my father's name “K.Selvaraj Nadar”. The land measures 2 acres and 78 cents, located in Field No. 691/3A.

The contract workers associated with ISRO have damaged the grave of my late mother, which is located at a roadside corner of a piece of land. This land holds great emotional and spiritual value for us, as it contains the tombs of my mother, father, and brother. Unfortunately, despite our not giving any consent, the land has been occupied and is currently being used for ISRO-related work. Contract workers associated with ISRO have broken my mother's grave. Photographs of the damaged grave are attached below for your reference.



Although we have not raised any formal objection so far, out of respect for national development, I now **humbly request that this small and sacred portion of land—where my family members are buried—be returned to us**. We are not opposing the national interest; we only wish to preserve our personal and religious heritage with dignity.

This particular piece of land is located at the corner where the main road intersects with the village road. ISRO has left other surrounding lands untouched up to this specific piece of land(green line), which I have marked with a yellow line in the attached map image. The land that currently remains occupied—belonging to us—is marked in red. The Map Location :

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/AMD88NMZrd6BBVpf8>



Image for 691/3A Land and Corner Piece Land Spilt Place

2. The land value fixed by ISRO is very low and Request revisit.

The current government land value in this area is ₹70,000 per acre. However, ISRO has fixed the compensation at five times this rate, amounting to ₹3,50,000 per acre. Despite this, I find the offered price to be very low, as it is insufficient to purchase even one cent of land other main places nearby area. Given that this land is located close to the main road, I respectfully request a reconsideration of the compensation amount.

3. I humbly request your kind consideration to provide a suitable job opportunity at ISRO to any member of the family who has sacrificed their land

We have generously given our land to the government with compensation for the establishment of the ISRO launch pad. This sacrifice has deeply affected our family and livelihood, as the government has acquired all the land around our village, including ours. Due to this, we are no longer able to pursue agriculture, traditional occupations, or the work we used to do before, which has placed us in a very difficult situation.

Despite these hardships, we have not raised any objections out of respect for national development. However, we humbly and respectfully request that ISRO kindly consider providing a suitable job opportunity to at least one member of our family. Such an opportunity would greatly improve our family's well-being and help us rebuild our lives.

We believe that offering employment to families like ours, who have sacrificed their land for this national project, will foster strong cooperation and goodwill between ISRO and the local community.

I deeply respect my Mother Country and honor my birthplace. I humbly request your kind intervention to help us reclaim and protect this emotionally significant land. Additionally, I kindly urge you to revisit the land valuation to ensure fair compensation, and to consider providing a suitable job opportunity to at least one member of our family who has sacrificed their land for this national project.

We sincerely hope you will consider our request with compassion and understanding.

Thank you for your time and understanding.

With sincere regards,

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I am A.K.S. Thangaraj, a citizen of Azhagappapuram, Sathankulam Taluk, Thoothukudi (Tuticorin), Tamil Nadu. I write this letter with utmost respect and hope to bring to your kind attention a matter of deep personal and emotional importance.

ISRO has filed a legal case regarding the occupation of our land for the development of a satellite launch pad near Kulasekarapattinam at Azhagappapuram. However, neither I nor my family—including my brothers—have ever agreed to or signed any document consenting to hand over this property. The land that legally belongs to our family and is registered in my father's name. The legal case, LAOP no 43/2024, has been ongoing since 06.05.2024 in the Hon'ble Tuticorin Court.

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This land holds immense emotional and spiritual value for us, as it contains the tombs of my mother, father, and brother. Unfortunately, despite our family not giving any consent, the land has been occupied and is currently being used for ISRO-related activities. Contract workers associated with ISRO have desecrated my mother's grave. I have attached photographs below as evidence of the damage caused.

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Although we have refrained from raising any formal objection out of respect for national development, I now humbly request that this small and sacred portion of land—where our beloved family members are buried—be returned to us. We are not opposing the national interest; we only seek to preserve our personal and religious heritage with dignity.

This particular land is located at the junction where the main road meets the village road. ISRO has left several surrounding lands untouched, up to this specific plot, which I have marked in yellow in the attached map image. The land currently occupied—belonging to our family—is marked in red.

I have deep respect for my motherland, and I earnestly seek your kind intervention to help us reclaim and protect this emotionally significant land.

With humble regards,

A.K.S. Thangaraj

