

**Government of Kerala**  
**Abstract**

Land –Ernakulam – Muvattupuzha taluk- Keerampara village – Survey No. 458/1Af  
Survey and Demarcation of land belonging to the Gethsemane Church orders issued.

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**Revenue Department**

G.O. Ms. No. 111/64/Rev.

Dated , Trivandrum, 10-2-1964.

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- Read. 1. Petition dt. 22-6-62 from Shri. Nariyelil Paily Mathai, Trustee,  
The Gethsemane Church Keerampara, Muvattupuzha taluk.  
2. Letter No. C- 15887/62 dt. 4-1-63 from the District Colector.Ernakulam.  
3. Letter No, D1- 879/58 dt. 9-11-62 from the Chief Conservator of Forests.  
4. Letter No. L. Dis. 26099/62 LR dt. 15-11-63 from the Board of Revenue

**ORDER**

It has been represented to the Government that the authorities of the Gathesemana Church , Keerampara village , Muvattupuzha taluk had purchased a plot of land measuring 5.78 acres in Survey No. 458/1F of Keerampara village , Muvattupuzha taluk and that the Church was paying basic tax for the above land but so far it was not given possession since it cannot be located.

2. It has been reported by the District Collector , Ernakulam that originally the site in question had been lying included in the 150 acres and 56 cents of tharisu in Survey No. 458/1 A as per the settlement register. Out of the sub division No. ‘F’ and assigned on registry in favour of one Shri. Thommen Kuruvila of Manjayil as per puduval case No. 140/13-8-1088. Shri. Thommen Kuruvila alienated hios right of the above land to the Gathesemana Church. But later the whole area comprised in survey No. 458/1 a and F was surveyed as one unit having an extent of 76 acres and 5 cents and finalized the sketch as such . At present the entire extent in Survey No. 458/1 AF of Keerampara village including the 5.78 acres belonging to the Gatheceamana Church is under the control of the Forestst Department. Though an extent of 5.78 acres in Survey No. 458/1 AF belongs to the chuch as per thandaper No. 814 the exact spot cannot be located now. The Board of Revenue has recommended that since it is not possible to locate the Correct spot of the land in question an equal extent of land from a convenient part of the forest area mentioned above may be given to the church authorities . The Chief Conservator of Forests has also agreed to the above proposal.

3. The Government have considered the matter in detail and they order that on grounds of equity an equal extent of land from a convenient part of the forest land , be given to the Church.

4. The petitioner is referred to the Board of Revenue for orders on his petition.

By order of the Governor,

K.M. Peter,  
Joint Secretary to Govt.

To

The Chief Conservator of Forests , Trivandrum.

Endt. On D1-879/58 dt. 19-2-64.

Copy to the Conservator of Forests Chalakudy and Divl. Forest officer Malayattur for attention. (C.F's.No.D. 3494/58 and D.F.O's No. D. 300/58).

K.K.Nair,  
For Chief Conservator of Forests.

Forwarded/By order.

Head Draftsman

Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests  
Trivandrum.