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Dear Sir,  
Vanakkam

**Sub: Request to issue Patta for the people residing at Taramani Kalaignar  
Nagar, Velachery, South Chennai Constituency, Tamil nadu- reg.**

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I am writing this letter to you to bring to light the plight of the residents of Taramani Kalaignar  
Nagar.

The Indian Institute of Technology(IIT) at Taramani was built in 1959 which now comes under my South Chennai constituency. In 1964, a wall was built around the IIT Madras campus. At the time, the residents living in that area were asked to vacate. So in 1969, the then panchayat president allotted three cents of barren land per person in an area between today's Thiruvalluvar road. From the very first year of allotment, the residents have paid their fair share Panchayat tax, water tax and house tax without fail.They have also been recipients of all the facilities given to them by the Tamil Nadu State Government.

When Chennai became a corporation city in 1978, the land mentioned above was questioned as belonging to IIT Madras and was registered under the name of IIT Madras. The people residing in this area have paid their taxes for 50 long years and have enjoyed the benefits from the State government.

In light of the above situation and in the best interest of the people who have resided in the area for the past 50 years and continue to do so, I request you to consider issuing a Patta for the people residing in Taramani Kalaignar Nagar and relieve them of their worries.

I look forward to a positive response.

Thanking you,

With Warm Regards

To,  
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Hon'ble Minister for Education,  
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