

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 12.02.2016

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE S.NAGAMUTHU
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KALYANASUNDARAM

Habeas Corpus Petition No.2188 of 2015

S.Soorya Prabha

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.State, rep by the
Secretary to Government
Co-operation, Food & Consumer Protection
Department, Fort Saint George
Chennai 600 009.

2.The Additional Secretary to Government
of India, Ministry of Consumer Affairs
Food & Public Distribution
(Department of Consumer Affairs)
Room No.270, Krishi Bhavan
New Delhi 110 001.

3.The Commissioner of Police
Coimbatore City.

... Respondents

PETITION under Section 226 of The Constitution of India praying for the issuance of Writ of Habeas Corpus calling for the records of the 1st respondent, pertaining to the order made in C.No.10/PBMMSEC ACT/IS/2015 dated 12.08.2015 in detaining the detenu under the Prevention of Black Marketing and Maintenance of Supplies of Essential Commodities Act, 1980 (Central Act 7 of 1980), as a BLACK MARKETER and quash the same and direct the respondents to produce the detenu, namely, Selvam @ Mavu Selvam, S/o Gurusamy who is detained at the Central Prison, Coimbatore, before this Court and set him at liberty.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Rajkumar

For Respondents : Mr.Shanmugha Vlayutham,
Public Prosecutor
for Mr.A.N.Thambidurai
Additional Public Prosecutor

O R D E R

(Order of the Court was made by S.NAGAMUTHU, J.)

Challenging the detention order made under Section 3(1) r/w 3(2)(b) of the Prevention of Black Marketing and Maintenance of Supplies of Essential Commodities Act 1980 (Central Act 7 of 1980), detaining Mr.G.Selvam @ Mavu Selvam, aged 43 years, S/o Gurusamy, the petitioner has come forward with this petition.

2. It is brought to our notice that the period of detention has already expired and nothing survives in this petition. In view of the above, this Habeas Corpus Petition is dismissed as infructuous.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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