

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 15.03.2016

Coram:

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.JAICHANDREN  
and  
THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE S.NAGAMUTHU

H.C.P.No. 420 of 2016

Padma

.. Petitioner

vs.

1.The Commissioner of Police  
Greater Chennai  
No.132, EVK Sampath Salai  
Vepery  
Chennai-600 007.

2.The Inspector of Police  
T4 Maduravoyal Police Station  
Maduravoyal  
Chennai-600 095.

3.Narayanan

4.Mari

5.Selvi

.. Respondents

Habeas Corpus Petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for a Writ of Habeas Corpus, directing the respondents 1 and 2 to produce the detinue, namely, minor Gayathri, who is aged about 16 years, before this Court, who is now under the illegal custody of the respondents 3 to 5, and to set her at liberty.

For petitioner :Mr.M.V.Muralidaran

For respondents :Mr.V.M.R.Rajentran,  
Addl. Public Prosecutor

O R D E R

(Order of the Court was made by M.JAICHANDREN,J)

This Habeas Corpus Petition has been filed, by the mother of the detainee, praying that this Court may be pleased to issue a Writ of Habeas Corpus, to direct the respondents 1 and 2 to produce the detainee, namely, minor Gayathri, aged about 16 years, who is said to be now under the illegal custody of the respondents 3 to 5, before this Court and to set her at liberty.

2. The petitioner has stated that the detainee, who is her younger daughter, had studied upto Xth standard. Thereafter, she has been working in an export Company. While so, she had gone missing, since, 15.02.2016. Therefore, the petitioner had lodged a complaint before the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent police, on 16.02.2016. Since, no effective steps have been taken by the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent police, to trace the detainee, the present Habeas Corpus Petition has been filed by the petitioner, before this Court.

3. At this stage of the hearing of the Habeas Corpus Petition, the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent police had produced the detainee, before this Court. The mother of the detainee, is also present. On enquiry, the detainee, namely, Gayathri, had expressed her wish to go along with her mother, who is present before this Court.

4. In such circumstances, we find it appropriate to close the Habeas Corpus Petition, as no further orders are necessary in the present Habeas Corpus Petition. The detainee, namely, Gayathri, is permitted to go along with her mother, as per her wish. The Habeas Corpus Petition is closed.

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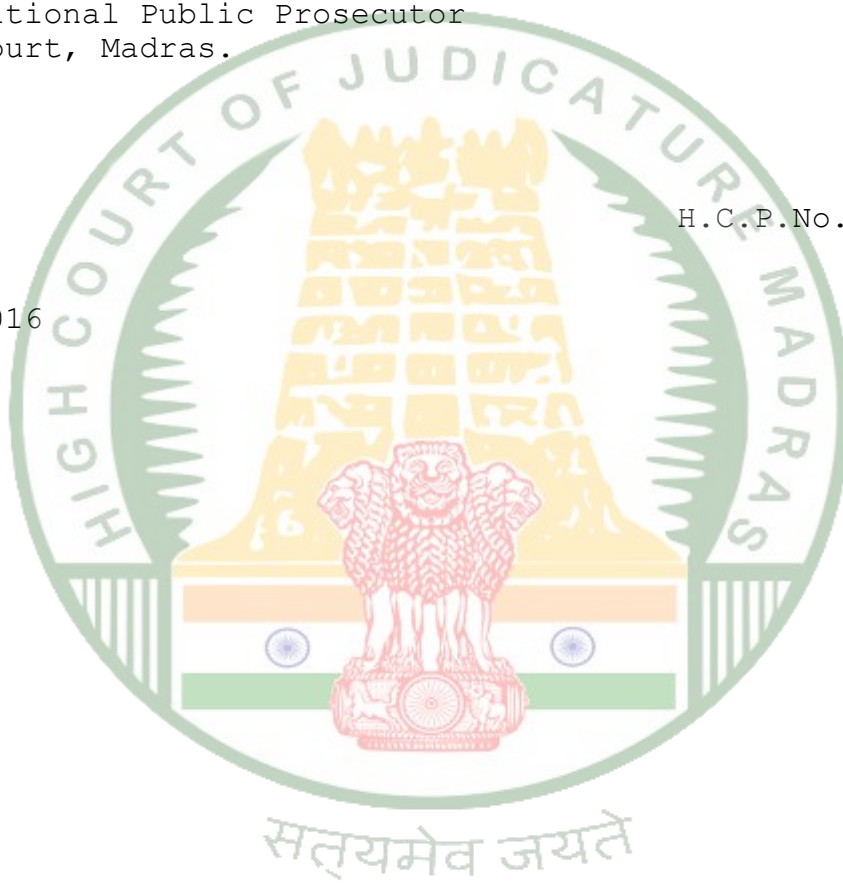
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