

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS**DATED : 22.12.2017****CORAM:****THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE RAJIV SHAKDHER
And
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUMAR****H.C.P.No.2011 of 2017**

Karthik

... Petitioner

-VS-

1.State of Tamil Nadu

Rep. by its Secretary to Government,
Home, Prohibition and Excise Department,
Secretariat,
Chennai – 600 009.2.The District Magistrate and District Collector,
Tiruvallur District
Tiruvallur.

... Respondents

Prayer:

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Habeas Corpus, to call for the entire records relating to the petitioner friend detention under Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982 vide detention order, dated 21.09.2017 on the file of the second respondent herein made in proceedings B.C.D.F.G.I.S.S.S.V.No.32/2017 and quash the same as illegal and consequently direct the respondents herein to produce the said petitioner friend namely Suresh, son of Janarthanam, aged 42 years before

this Hon'ble High Court and set the petitioner friend at liberty from detention, now petitioner friend detained at Central Prison – II, Puzhal, Chennai – 600 066.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.C.Chellappan
For Respondents : Mr.V.M.R.Rajentran
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by RAJIV SHAKDHER, J.]

1. The petitioner is the friend of the detenu, namely, Suresh, S/o.Janarthanam, male, aged about 42 years. The detenu stands detained by the second respondent by virtue of his order bearing B.C.D.F.G.I.S.S.V.No.32/2017 dated 21.09.2017, wherein, he has been held to be a "Bootlegger", within the meaning of Section 2(b) of the Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982.

1.1. The said order is under challenge in this Habeas Corpus Petition.

2. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor submits that the said order of detention, passed by the second respondent against the friend of the petitioner has been revoked by the Government in G.O.Rt.No.5415, Home, Prohibition & Excise (XI) Department dated 08.11.2017; a copy of the order has also been produced.

3. The submission of the learned Additional Public Prosecutor, is taken on record. Accordingly, the petition is closed, as the same has been rendered infructuous.

[R.S.A.,J.] [N.S.K.,J.]
22.12.2017

Speaking Order/ Non Speaking Order

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To

- 1.The Secretary to Government,
Home, Prohibition and Excise Department,
Secretariat,
Chennai – 600 009.
- 2.The District Magistrate and District Collector,
Tiruvallur District
Tiruvallur.
- 3.The Superintendent,
Central Prison – II, Puzhal,
Chennai – 600 066.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madras High Court,
Madras.

**RAJIV SHAKDHER, J.
And
N.SATHISH KUMAR, J.**

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