

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED 14.03.2017

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.NAGAMUTHU
and
THE HONOURABLE DR.JUSTICE ANITA SUMANTH

H.C.P No.1920of 2016

Prakash @ Desappan

... Petitioner

Vs

1.The Secretary to the Government,
Home Prohibition and Excise Dept.,
Secretariat,
Chennai 600 009.

2.Commissioner of Police,
Greater Chennai Police.

... Respondents

Habeas Corpus Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a writ of Habeas Corpus of any other writ of direction calling upon the production of the records relating to the detention order dated 03.08.2016 made in detention Order Memo No.824/BCDFGISSSV/2016 passed by the second respondent herein and quash the same and direct the respondents to produce the body or person of the Detenu Prakash @ Desappan, S/o Velankanni, aged 25 years branded as Goonda an now confined in Central Prison, Puzhal, Chennai before this Court and set him at liberty forthwith.

For Petitioner : Mr.S. Senthilvel

For respondents: Mr.V.M.R. Rajentren
Addl. Public Prosecutor

ORDER

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

The petitioner, who is the detenu Prakash @ Desappan, S/o Velankanni, aged 25 years, has come forward with this petition challenging the detention order passed by the second respondent

dated 03.08.2016 against him branding him as a "Goonda" under the Tamil Nadu Prevention of Dangerous Activities of Bootleggers, Drug Offenders, Forest Offenders, Goondas, Immoral Traffic Offenders, Sand Offenders, Slum Grabbers and Video Pirates Act, 1982 [Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982].

2.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor would submit that the order of detention passed by the second respondent as against him dated 03.08.2016 has been revoked by the Government in G.O. [Rt] No.4646 Home, Prohibition & Excise [X] Department dated 28.09.2016 and he has also produced a copy of the said order.

3. Recording the submission of the learned Additional Public Prosecutor, this petition is closed as the same has become infructuous.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS IV)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Secretary, Home,
State of Tamil Nadu, Home
Prohibition and Excise Department,
Fort St.George, Chennai - 600 009.
2. The Commissioner of Police,
Greater Chennai Police.
3. The Superintendent of Central Prison,
Puzhal, Chennai.
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Chennai.

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