

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 18.10.2019

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The Hon'ble Mr. Justice M.M.SUNDRESH
and
The Hon'ble Mr. Justice RMT. TEEKAA RAMAN

H.C.P. No. 2852 of 2018

Manjula Petitioner/Mother of Detenue

-vs-

1.The Inspector of Police,
Valangaiman Police Station,
Thiruvavarur District.

2.Jagadesan ... Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Habeas Corpus directing the first respondent to produce the detenue Sivaranjani, D/o.Kumar aged about 17 years, minor daughter of the petitioner on the hands of second respondent herein before this Court and hand over to the petitioner.

For Petitioner : No appearance

For Respondents : Mr.R.Prathap Kumar
: Addl. Public Prosecutor
for R1

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by M.M.SUNDRESH, J.]

Seeking a direction to the first respondent to produce the detenue Sivaranjani, D/o.Kumar aged about 17 years before this Court and hand over to the petitioner., the present habeas corpus petition has been filed.

2.There is no representation on behalf of the petitioner.

3.Learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that the case involves elopement of the minor at the relevant point of

time with the second respondent. Though she has attained majority thereafter, it appears that neither the detainee nor the second respondent is secured notwithstanding the fact that a case has been registered for the offence under Section 366 A IPC.

4. In such view of the matter, especially the case is pending for more than one year, we are inclined to direct the Superintendent of Police, Thiruvarur District to monitor and supervise the investigation and take steps to trace the detainee. As and when the detainee is secured, she should be produced before the learned jurisdictional magistrate.

5. With the above direction, the habeas corpus petition stands closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CCC)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
Valangaiman Police Station,
Thiruvarur District.
2. The Superintendent of Police,
Thiruvarur District.
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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