

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 27.11.2020

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The Hon'ble Mr. Justice M.M.SUNDRESH
and

The Hon'ble Mr. Justice P.RAJAMANICKAM

H.C.P. No. 1961 of 2020

S.Saravanamoorthy

..Petitioner

Vs

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Coimbatore District,
Coimbatore - 641 018.

2.State Rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Karamadai Police Station,
Coimbatore - 641104.

3.Marudhamuthu

.. Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issue of a Writ of Habeas Corpus directing the second respondent to produce the petitioner's daughter Rasika Ranjini, aged about 24 years, before this Court from the illegal custody of the third respondent and set her at liberty.

For Petitioner .. Mr.A.Ashok Kumar

For Respondent .. Mr.R.Prathap Kumar
Addl. Public Prosecutor
for R1 & R2

No appearance for R3

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ORDER

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

The petitioner is the father of the detainee. Pursuant to the complaint given, which has been registered in Crime No. 584 dated 14.07.2020 for woman missing, the present habeas corpus petition has been filed seeking her production.

2.Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for respondents 1 and 2.

3.On a perusal of the records produced by the learned Additional Public Prosecutor prima facie we find that it is a case of elopement of the detenue with the third respondent, who is stated to be a married man. This is also a second occasion.

4.Thus, in the light of the above, this habeas corpus petition stands closed directing respondents 1 and 2 to continue with the investigation and secure the detenue. As and when the detenue is secured, she should be produced before the jurisdictional Magistrate.

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ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SUB-ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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To

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3.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras. सत्यमेव जयते

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