



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 27.07.2020

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.R. SWAMINATHAN

W.P. (MD) No. 8034 of 2020

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... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Revenue Divisional Officer
Kulithalai Revenue Division
Kulithalai
Karur District

2. The Assistant Director of Mines and Minerals
Karur District
Karur

3. The Inspector of Police
Mayanoor Police Station
Mayanoor
Karur District

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to release the petitioner's Ashok Leyland Lorry bearing Registration Number TN-28-AJ-7476 seized on 09.06.2018 and keeping under the custody of the third respondent by consider petitioner's representation dated 01.07.2020.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Arunraj

For Respondents : Mrs.S.Srimathy
Special Government Pleader

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Heard the learned counsel on either side. By consent of both parties, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

2. This writ petition has been filed seeking release of the petition mentioned vehicle.

3. The learned Special Government Pleader states that in this case, First Information Report has been registered in Crime No.138 of 2018 on the file of the third respondent and the vehicle has also been produced before the jurisdictional criminal Court in R.P.R.No.35 of 2018.



4. Therefore, the petitioner has to necessarily move the jurisdictional criminal Court for release of the vehicle. Giving such liberty to the petitioner, this writ petition stands dismissed. No costs.

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Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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To:

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Kulithalai,
Karur District.
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Karur District,
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