



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 08.09.2020

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P. (MD)No.11156 of 2020

K.Rengasamy

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Illuppur,
Pudukkottai District.

2. The Assistant Director,
Mines and Geology Department,
Pudukkottai District.

3. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Viralimalai Police Station,
Pudukkottai District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents herein to release the Lorry bearing Registration No.TN-16-2832 from the custody of the 3rd respondent in connection with Crime No.38 of 2020 on the file of the 3rd respondent and hand over to the petitioner forthwith.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sekar
For Respondents : Mr.C.Ramar,
Additional Government Pleader.

O R D E R

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 Additional Government Pleader states the vehicle has already been produced before the jurisdictional criminal Court. Therefore, the petitioner has to necessarily move the jurisdictional Court for return of vehicle. I make it clear that I have not gone into the merits of the matter. The writ



petition is dismissed. The petitioner is given liberty to move the jurisdictional Court. Upon filing of such petition, the jurisdictional court shall dispose of the same within a period of ten days thereafter. No costs.

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To:

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