



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 30.09.2020

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P. (MD)No.13151 of 2020

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... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Sankarankovil,
Tenkasi District.

2.The Assistant Director,
Mines and Minerals Department,
In charge to Tenkasi District,
Tirunelveli District.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Vasudevanallur Police Station,
Vasudevanallur,
Sivagiri Taluk,Tenkasi District.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 3rd respondent to release the petitioner's Trailer bearing Registration No.TN 76Z 9500, seized by the 3rd respondent police on 30.06.2018, by implementing the order passed by 1st respondent in Na.Ka.A3/3594, dated 24.07.2020, within a time stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.P.Sankarakumarakuruparan
For Respondents : Mr.M.Rajarajan
Additional 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 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.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CSIII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To:

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+1 CC to M/s.K.P. SANKARA KUMARA KURUPAR, Advocate (SR-18592[F]
dated 30/09/2020)

+1 CC to M/s.SPL GP (SR-18756[F] dated 01/10/2020)

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