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H.C.P(MD) No.828 of 2020

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 02.12.2020

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KALYANASUNDARAM

and

THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE T.KRISHNAVALLI

H.C.P. (MD) No.828 of 2020

K.Ramu

... Petitioner

-vs-

1.The Government of Tamil Nadu

Rep.by its Additional Chief Secretary (Home)

Prohibition and Excise Department

Secretariat, Chennai-600 009

2.The District Magistrate and District Collector

Velunachiar Valagam

Dindigul-624 004

3.The Inspector of Police

Sempatti Police Station

Dindigul District

4.The Superintendent

Central Prison, Madurai

... Respondents

PRAYER : Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issue of a Writ of Habeas Corpus calling for the records relating to the detention order passed by the second respondent in Detention Order dated 07.09.2020 in Detention Order No.54/2020 and quash the same and direct the respondents to produce the person or body of the detenu namely Saravanan, son of Ramu, aged about 20 years, before this Court and set him at liberty, now detained at Central Prison, Madurai.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Saravanakumar

For Respondents : Mr.K.Dinesh Babu

Additional Public Prosecutor

O R D E R

(Order of the Court was made by K.KALYANASUNDARAM, J.)

This habeas corpus petition has been filed by the father of the detenu, namely, Saravanan, son of Ramu, aged about 20 years, challenging the detention order No.54/2020, dated 07.09.2020, passed by the second respondent, branding him as "Sand Offender" as contemplated under Section 2(gg) of Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982.

2. When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the respondents, by producing a copy of G.O.Rt.No.4657, Home, Prohibition & Excise (XIII)



Department, dated 28.10.2020, would state that the impugned detention order has been revoked.

3. Recording the above submissions, the habeas corpus petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

Note :

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To:

- 1.The Additional Chief Secretary (Home)
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Government of Tamil Nadu,
Secretariat, Chennai-600 009.
- 2.The District Magistrate and District Collector,
Velunachiar Valagam, Dindigul-624 004.
- 3.The Inspector of Police,
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- 4.The Superintendent,
Central Prison, Madurai.
- 5.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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