



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 21.12.2020

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KALYANASUNDARAM
and
THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE T.KRISHNAVALLI**

H.C.P. (MD) No.1148 of 2020

S.Meiyathan

... Petitioner

-vs-

1.The Superintendent of Prison,
Pudukkottai District,
Pudukkottai.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Aranthangi Police Station,
Pudukkottai District.

3.J.Sridhar

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of habeas corpus directing the respondents No.1 and 2 to produce the detainee, the petitioner's daughter namely M.Kanishka, D/o S.Meiyathan, aged about 18 years before this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Suresh

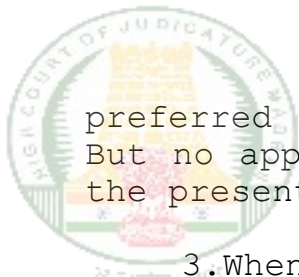
For Respondents : Mr.K.Dinesh Babu
(1 & 2) Additional Public Prosecutor

O R D E R

[Order of the Court was made by K.KALYANASUNDARAM, J.]

The Habeas Corpus Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondents 1 and 2 to produce the petitioner's daughter, namely, M.Kanishka, aged about 18 years before this Court and set her at liberty.

2.According to the petitioner, the detainee is studying B.Sc., (Nursing) II year at Namakkal. On 14.11.2020, she had gone to their relatives' house, but subsequently, she did not come back home. On verification, the petitioner came to know that the third respondent abducted her daughter illegally without her willingness. Hence, he



preferred a complaint before the second respondent on 17.11.2020. But no appropriate action was taken to secure the detainee. Hence, the present petition has been filed.

3. When the matter is taken up for hearing today, the petitioner, the detainee and the parents of the third respondent appeared before this Court through video conferencing from the Public Prosecutor's Office. On enquiry, the detainee would state that she is having love affair with the third respondent and she is staying in his house. She also stated that she is not willing to go with the petitioner.

4. In the light of the above statement, no further adjudication is required. Hence, the habeas corpus petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS-II)

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To

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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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