



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 21.07.2020

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

H.C.P. (MD) No.1262 of 2019

Chellappa

... Petitioner

-vs-

1.State of Tamil Nadu,
rep. by the Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Home, Prohibition and Excise Department,
Fort. St. George,
Chennai - 600 009.

2.The District Collector and District Magistrate,
Tirunelveli District,
Tirunelveli.

3.The Superintendent of Prison,
Central Prison,
Palayamkottai,
Tirunelveli.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of habeas corpus calling for the entire records, connected with the detention order passed in M.H.S.Confdl No.94/2019 dated 18.11.2019 on the file of the second respondent herein and quash the same and direct the respondents to produce the detenu or body of the detenu namely, the petitioner's son i.e., Petchiganesh, aged about 20 years, S/o Chellappa, now detained at Central Prison, Palayamkottai before this Court and set him at liberty forthwith.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Pragalathan

For Respondents : Mr.V.Neelakandan
Additional Public Prosecutor



O R D E R

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

The petitioner has filed the habeas corpus petition seeking to quash the proceedings of the second respondent in M.H.S.Confdl No.94/2019 dated 18.11.2019 and to direct the respondents to produce the detenu, or body of the detenu, namely, the petitioner's son i.e., Petchiganesh, aged about 20 years, S/o Chellappa, now detained at Central Prison, Palayamkottai before this Court and set him at liberty forthwith.

2.When the matter is taken up for hearing, the learned counsel for the petitioner as well as the learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the respondents, by producing a copy of G.O.Rt.No.81, Home, Prohibition and Excise (XIV) Department, dated 07.01.2020, would state that the impugned detention order has been revoked by the Government.

3.In the light of the above submissions, no further order is necessary. Accordingly, the habeas corpus petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CRL SIDE)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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