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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 30.07.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.N.PRAKASH
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.PONGIAPPAN

H.C.P.NO.322 OF 2021

Sumathi

... Petitioner

.Vs.

1. State of Tamil Nadu represented by
The Secretary to Government,
Home, Prohibition and Excise Department,
Secretariat, Fort St.George,
Chennai - 600 009.
2. The District Magistrate and District Collector,
Dhamapuri District,
Dharmapuri.
3. The Superintendent of Police,
Dhamapuri District,
Dharmapuri.
4. The Superintendent of Prison,
Salem Central Prison,
Salem.
5. The Inspector of Police,
PEW Harur, Harur,
Dharmapuri District.

... Respondents

PRAYER:-

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a writ of Habeas Corpus to call for the records pertaining to the detention of the petitioner's husband Dhavamani, aged about 44 years, son of Appavu, by the 2nd respondent under Act 14 of 1982 as Bootlegger vide detention order in S.C.No.16/2020 dated 31.12.2020, quash the same and consequently direct the respondents to produce him being confined in the Central Prison, Salem, before this Court and set him at liberty.



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For Petitioner : Ms.D.Geetha

For Respondents : Mr.R.Muniyapparaj,
Govt.Advocate
(Crl.Side)

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by P.N.PRAKASH, J.]

The petitioner challenges the impugned order of detention in S.C.No.16/2020 dated 31.12.2020, detaining her husband as "Bootlegger" under Section 2(b) of the Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982.

The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) reports that the order of detention passed against the detenu has been revoked by the Government by its order in G.O.Rt.No.1007, Home, Prohibition and Excise (XV) Department, dated 27.02.2021 and he has also produced a copy of the Government Order. Recording the same, this Habeas Corpus Petition stands closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS VI)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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6. The Joint Secretary to Government of Tamil Nadu,
Public, Law and Order Department,
Secretariat,
Chennai - 9.

7. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court,
Madras.

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