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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED 20.09.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.N.PRAKASH
AND
THE HONOURABLE MS.JUSTICE R.N.MANJULA

W.P.NO.16487 OF 2021
AND
W.M.P.NO.17454 OF 2021

S.Sagunthala

..Petitioner

Vs.

1.State rep. by
The Additional Director General of Prison & I.G. of Prison
Whannels Road
Egmore, Chennai-8

2.The Superintendent of Police
Central Prison
Cuddalore-4

3.The Superintendent of Prisons
Central Prison
Puzhal, Chennai-66

..Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a writ of certiorarified mandamus calling for the records in the order bearing Mu.Mu.No.3995/c.na.2/2018 dated 23.02.2018 passed by the 1st respondent and to quash the same and direct the 1st respondent to transfer the petitioner's son viz., Hariharan (CT.No.16191), aged 32 years, life convict, from Central Prison, Cuddalore to Central Prison, Puzhal-I, Chennai-66.

For Petitioner : Ms.S.Nadhiya

For Respondents : Mr.R.Muniyapparaj
Addl. Public Prosecutor



ORDER

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

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Seeking transfer of the convict prisoner viz., Hariharan (CT.No.16191) from the Central Prison, Cuddalore to the Central Prison, Puzhal, an application was submitted and the same was rejected by the 1st respondent on 23.02.2018, aggrieved by which, the present petition has been filed in the year 2021.

2. We are of the view that much water has flown under the bridge, after the impugned order was passed in the year 2018 and therefore, it is open to the petitioner to file a fresh request for prison transfer and on such application being filed, the same may be considered expeditiously, bearing in mind the relevant rules and the COVID-19 protocol.

With the above observation, this petition is closed. Connected miscellaneous petition is closed. No costs.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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2. The Superintendent of Police,
Central Prison,
Cuddalore-4.
3. The Superintendent of Prisons,
Central Prison,
Puzhal, Chennai-66.
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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