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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 05.10.2021

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

H.C.P.NO.1577 OF 2021

Loganathan

... Petitioner

..Vs..

State represented by

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Tiruvallur District,
Tamil Nadu - 602 001.

2. The Inspector of Police,
Thirunindravur Police Station,
Tiruvallur District.
Crime No.845 of 2021

... Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a writ of Habeas Corpus directing the respondent/police to physically bring the body of the petitioner's daughter Dharani, daughter of Loganathan, aged about 20 years, before this Court and set her at liberty.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Mohanraj

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

ORDER

[Made by P.N.PRAKASH, J.]

This habeas corpus petition has been filed seeking to direct the respondents/police to physically bring the body of the petitioner's daughter Dharani, aged about 20 years, before this Court and set her at liberty.

2. It is the case of the petitioner that his daughter Dharani, aged about 20 years, went missing from 13.07.2021 and



that the police are not taking effective steps to secure her.

3. Today N.Chandrasekar (Mobile No.98406 12094), T-11, Thirunindravur Police Station, Thiruvallur District, is present.

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4. On instructions, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that on a complaint given by the petitioner, a case in Thirunindravur Police Station Crime No.845 of 2021 was registered for 'woman missing' on 27.07.2021 and during the course of investigation, it came to light that Dharani was in love with one Rishwanth and appears to have eloped with him.

In view of the above, this habeas corpus petition stands closed with a direction to the Assistant Commissioner of Police, Pattabiram, to supervise the investigation in Thirunindravur Police Station Crime No.845 of 2021 and keep the petitioner informed of the developments, if any. As and when Dharani, aged about 20 years, is secured, she shall be produced before the Judicial Magistrate Court No.II, Thiruvallur, under intimation to the petitioner. On such production, the learned Magistrate shall pass appropriate orders with regard to custody in accordance with law.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS IV)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

nsd

To

1. The Judicial Magistrate No.II,
Thiruvallur.
2. The Assistant Commissioner of Police,
Pattabiram.
3. The Superintendent of Police,
Tiruvallur District,
Tamil Nadu - 602 001.
4. The Inspector of Police,
Thirunindravur Police Station,
Tiruvallur District.



5. The Public Prosecutor,
Madras High Court,
Chennai - 600 104.

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