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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 02.11.2021

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The Honourable Mr. Justice P.N.PRAKASH
and
The Honourable Mrs. Justice S.SRIMATHY

H.C.P.No.1760 of 2021

K.Natarajan

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The District Superintendent of Police,
Thiruvarur District,
Thiruvarur.

2. The Inspector of Police,
Vaduvoor Police Station,
Thiruvarur District.

3.Praveen

.. Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a writ of Habeas Corpus directing the 2nd respondent herein to produce the body of the petitioner's daughter detinue Keerthana, Female/20, D/o.Natarajan, before this Court and set her at liberty.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Ramesh

For RR 1 and 2 : Mr.R.Muniyapparaj,
Addl. Public Prosecutor

ORDER

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

This habeas corpus petition has been filed seeking to direct the 2nd respondent herein to produce the body of the petitioner's daughter detinue Keerthana, aged about 20 years, D/o.Natarajan, before this Court and set her at liberty.



2. It is the case of the petitioner that his daughter Keerthana, aged about 20 years, went missing from 04.10.2021 and that the police are not taking effective steps to secure her.

3. On instructions, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that on a complaint given by the petitioner, a case in Vaduvor Police Station Crime No.543 of 2021 has been registered on 08.10.2021 for 'woman' missing and investigation is in progress.

Recording the same, this habeas corpus petition stands closed with a direction to the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Mannargudi Sub-Division, to supervise the investigation in Vaduvor Police Station Crime No.543 of 2021 and keep the petitioner informed of the developments, if any. As and when the detainee Keerthana, aged about 20 years, is secured, she shall be produced before the Judicial Magistrate Court No.I, Mannargudi, 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(CCC)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Judicial Magistrate No.I,
Mannargudi.
2. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Mannargudi Sub-Division.
3. The District Superintendent of Police,
Thiruvarur District, Thiruvarur.
4. The Inspector of Police,
Vaduvor Police Station,
Thiruvarur District.
5. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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