



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 19.01.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P. (MD)No.606 of 2021

Muthukumar

... Petitioner

-Vs-

1.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Revenue Divisional Office,
Cheranmahadevi,
Tirunelveli District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Mukkudal Police Station,
Tirunelveli District.

3.The Assistant Director,
Tamilnadu Mines and Minerals,
Tirunelveli District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to release the petitioner's Tractor and Trailer bearing Registration No.TN 50 C 1841 seized by the second respondent in connection with Crime No.159 of 2018 on 07.06.2018 and hand over to the petitioner based on the petitioner's representation dated 06.01.2021.

For Petitioner : Mr.B.Santhanam Rajeshkumar
For Respondents : Mrs.S.Srimathy
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2.The petitioner is having three previous cases of the same nature. The vehicle is also having one previous case of the same nature. Therefore, the respondents are directed to produce the petition mentioned vehicle before the Court below immediately and without any delay. It is open to the petitioner to move the Court below for release of the vehicle. As and when the petition is filed by the petitioner, the same will be disposed of on merits and in accordance with law within a period of ten days thereafter. I make it clear that I have not gone into the merits of the matter.



3. With this direction to the respondents and with the aforesaid liberty to the petitioner, the Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

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Assistant Registrar (CS III)

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To

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