



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED :19.08.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.DURAI SWAMY
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.MURALI SHANKAR

H.C.P. (MD) No.126 of 2021

T.Suji Petitioner/Sister of the detenu

-vs-

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Office of the Superintendent of Police,
Thanjavur District.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Nachiyarkoil Police Station,
Thanjavur District.
(Crime No.42 of 2021) ... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of habeas corpus directing the respondents to produce the body or person of the Petitioner's sister T.Swetha, aged 17 years, before this Court and set her at liberty.

For Petitioner : Mr.A.Senthil Kumar
For Respondents : Mr.S.Ravi
Standing Counsel for the Govt.

O R D E R

[Order of the Court was made by M.DURAI SWAMY, J.]

Pursuant to the order, dated 22.3.2021, the second respondent secured the custody of the detenu by name, T.Swetha, aged 17 years. The detenu was produced before this Court through video-conferencing and her parents namely, Mr.Tamilarasan and her mother Mrs.Latha along with the Petitioner/T.Suji, who is the sister of the detenu, were present. When this Court enquired the detenu T.Swetha, she has submitted that she is willing to go with her parents. The detenu's parents were also willing to take her to their house.



2.The statements made by the detenue, her parents and sister are recorded. The respondents/Police is directed to hand over the custody of the minor T.Swetha to her parents namely, Mr.Tamilarasan and Mrs.Latha, forthwith. Accordingly, the Habeas Corpus Petition stands closed.

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To:

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- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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