



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 02.02.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P.(MD)No.1604 of 2021

Ananthakumar

... Petitioner

-Vs-

1.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Revenue Divisional Office,
Kumbakonam,
Thanjavur District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Ammapettai Police Station,
Thanjavur District.

3.The Assistant Director,
Tamilnadu Mines and Minerals,
Thanjavur 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 Bolero Pickup Van bearing Registration No.TN 50 H 6177 pertaining to the case in Cr.No.1393 of 2020 on the file of the second respondent herein and return the vehicle to the petitioner based on his representation dated 18.01.2021.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.M.Karunakaran

For Respondents : Mr.M.Rajeswari
Government Advocate

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2.The petitioner is having four previous cases 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 (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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+1 CC to M/s.GP (SR-3065[F] dated 03/02/2021)

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