



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 15.02.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P. (MD)No.2787 of 2021

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Ramesh Raj

... Petitioner

-Vs-

1.The Assistant Director of Geology and Mining,
Kanyakumari,
Nagercoil.

2.The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Padmanabapuram,
Thuckalay,
Kanyakumari District.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Nithiravilai Police Station,
Kanyakumari District.
Crime No.403 of 2020

... 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 Bharat Benz Tipper Lorry bearing Registration No.TN 69 BF 0205 which was seized by the third respondent on 27.11.2020.

For Petitioner	: Mr.R.J.Karthick
For Respondents	: Mr.M.Rajarajan Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2.The learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents states that the petition mentioned vehicle has been produced before the jurisdictional Court. RPR number is yet to be assigned.

3.The Court below is directed to assign RPR number without any delay. It is for the petitioner to move the jurisdictional Court 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.

4. With this direction to the Court below, 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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+1 CC to M/s.SPL GP (SR-5372[F] dated 16/02/2021)

+1 CC to M/s.R.J.KARTHICK, Advocate (SR-5466[F] dated 16/02/2021)

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