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H.C.P.(MD) No.266 of 2021

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 15.06.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KALYANASUNDARAM

and

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

H.C.P. (MD) No.266 of 2021

K.Mary

... Petitioner

-vs-

1.The Additional Chief Secretary to Government
Home, Prohibition and Excise Department
State of Tamilnadu
Fort St.George, Chennai-600 009

2.The District Collector and the District Magistrate
Tirunelveli District
Tirunelveli-9

3.The Superintendent of Prison
Central Prison,
Palayamkottai,
Tirunelveli.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of habeas corpus calling for the entire records connected with the detention order passed in M.H.S.Confdl.No.05/2021, dated 29.01.2020, on the file of the second respondent herein and to quash the same and to direct the respondents to produce the detenu or body of the detenu namely, the Petitioner's husband i.e.,Pandi @ Karuthapandi, aged about 28 years, son of Muthaiah Thevar, now detained at the Central Prison, Palayamkottai, before this Court and set him at liberty forthwith.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Pragalathan

For Respondents : Mr.S.Ravi
Standing Counsel for the State Government

O R D E R

[Order of the Court was made by K.KALYANASUNDARAM, J.]

This habeas corpus petition has been filed by the wife of the detenu, namely, Pandi alias Karuthapandi, son of Muthaiah Thevar, aged about 28 years, challenging the detention order in M.H.S.Confdl.No.05/2021, dated 29.01.2020, passed by the second respondent, branding him as "Goonda" as contemplated under Section 2



(f) of Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982.

2. When the matter is taken up for hearing, the learned counsel for the petitioner as well as the learned Standing Counsel the State Government appearing for the respondents, by producing a copy of G.O.Rt.No.1766, Home, Prohibition & Excise (XIV) Department, dated 15.04.2021, would state that the impugned detention order has been revoked.

3. Recording the above submission, the habeas corpus petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-I)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To:

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

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