



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 20.04.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KALYANASUNDARAM
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

H.C.P(MD)No.342 of 2021

J.Padma ... Petitioner/Mother of detainee

-vs-

1.The Superintendant of Police,
Ramanathapuram District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Uchipuli Police Station,
Ramanathapuram District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of habeas corpus, directing the respondents herein to secure the detainee namely Jeyamathi, D/o.Jaganathan, aged about 17 years, produce before this Court and hand over the detainee to the petitioner.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Senthil Murugan
For Respondents : Mr.S.Chandresekar,
Additional Public Prosecutor
For Detenue : Mr.S.Balaji

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

The prayer in this habeas corpus petition is to direct the respondents to secure the petitioner's daughter namely Jeyamathi, aged 17 years, produce her before this Court and hand over her custody to the petitioner.

2.It is the case of the petitioner that her daughter Jeyamathi the detainee is studying and on 19.02.2021 at about 08.30 am, she left to the college and thereafter she did not return home. Hence she lodged a complaint with the second respondent on 19.02.2021 and a case was registered in Crime No.63 of 2021 for the offences under Section 366 (A) IPC. But no action was taken on her complaint and hence, the petitioner has approached this Court.



3.Mr.S.Chandrasekar, learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents made a mention before this Court that the detainee in this case has been secured and therefore, the matter is taken up for hearing today.

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4.When the matter is taken up for hearing today, the detainee was produced by the respondent Police through video conferencing. On enquiry she would state that she is studying 1st year LLB., course at Ramanathapuram, she is not willing to go with her mother and she expressed her willingness to go to a Government Home at Ramanathapuram.

5.In view of the above statement of the detainee, the respondent Police are directed to send the detainee namely Jeyamathi, D/O.Jaganathan to Annai Sathya Home, Ramanathapuram.

6.With the above direction, this habeas corpus petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(RTI Act)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Ramanathapuram District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Uchipuli Police Station,
Ramanathapuram District.

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

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The Officer incharge/Superintendent,
Annai Sathya Home, Ramanathapuram.

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