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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 08.07.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KALYANASUNDARAM

and

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

H.C.P. (MD) No.659 of 2021

Kandan @ Mattu Kandan, Male/Age 48

S/O Subbiah konar

... Petitioner/ Detenu

-vs-

1.State of Tamil Nadu,

represented by the Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Home, Prohibition and Excise Department,
Secretariat,
Chennai 600 009.

2.The District Collector and District Magistrate,
Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.

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 H.S.(M). Confdl.No.54 of 2021, dated 03.04.2021 on the file of the second respondent herein and quash the same and direct the respondents to produce the detenu or body of the detenu namely Kandan @ Mattu Kandan, aged about 48 years, S/o.Subbiah Konar, now detained at the Central Prison, Palayamkottai, before this Court and set him at liberty forthwith.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Pragalathan

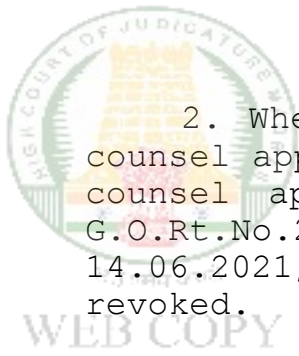
For Respondents : Mr.S.Ravi

Standing counsel for 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 detenu, namely, Kandan @ Mattu Kandan, S/o.Subbiah Konar, aged about 48 years, challenging the detention order in H.S.(M).Confdl.No.54 of 2021, dated 03.04.2021, passed by the second respondent, branding him as "Goonda" as contemplated under Section 2(f) of the Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982.



2. When the matter is taken up for hearing today, the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner as well as the learned Standing counsel appearing for the respondents, by producing a copy of G.O.Rt.No.2634, Home, Prohibition & Excise (XII) Department, dated 14.06.2021, would state that the impugned detention order has been revoked.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-II)

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To

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- 3.The Superintendent of Prison,
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Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli.
- 4.The joint secretary to the Government
Public (Law & order)
Fort saint George chennai.
- 5.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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