



**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT**

DATED : 14.06.2021

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE **Mr. JUSTICE G.ILANGOVA**

Crl.O.P.(MD)No.7198 of 2021

Madasamy

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Inspector of Police,  
CSCID,  
Madurai.

2. The Inspector of Police,  
CSCID,  
Tirunelveli,  
Tirunelveli District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, direct the second respondent herein to produce the petitioner's vehicle namely Ashok Leyland (Dost) - bearing Registration No.TN-72-BQ-4851 before the concerned Judicial Magistrate Court.

For Petitioner

: Mr.S.Sundarapandian

For Respondents

: Mr.R.M.Anbunithi,

Additional Public Prosecutor

**ORDER**

This Criminal Original Petition is filed seeking a direction to the respondent police to produce the Petitioner's vehicle bearing Registration No. TN-72-BQ-4851 before the concerned Judicial Magistrate Court.

2. The grievance of the petitioner is that he is the owner of the vehicle bearing Registration No. TN-72-BQ-4851 and the vehicle was seized by the respondent police on 28.02.2021 on the basis of the F.I.R registered in Crime No.39 of 2021 dated 28.02.2021 stating that the vehicle was used for the purpose of transporting 20 plastic bags of ration rice without valid permission and document. The vehicle was not produced before the concerned Court. So, he filed this petition.

3. The learned Public Prosecutor would submit that due to the lock down, vehicle was not produced before the concerned Court immediately and now the proceedings are underway. However, the remedy available to the petitioner is to file a petition under Section 457 of Cr.P.C before the jurisdictional Magistrate Court seeking proper relief.

4. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition stands disposed



of with liberty to the petitioner to file a proper petition before the concerned jurisdictional Magistrate Court seeking appropriate relief.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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Note : In view of the present lock down owing to COVID-19 pandemic, a web copy of the order may be utilized for official purposes, but, ensuring that the copy of the order that is presented is the correct copy, shall be the responsibility of the advocate/litigant concerned.

To

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

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