



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 08.09.2021

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE V.BHARATHIDASAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE J.NISHA BANU**

H.C.P. (MD) No.1319 of 2021

Sundravalli

... Petitioner

vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Madurai District.

2.The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Karuppayoorani Police Station,
Madurai District.

... Respondents

PRAYER : Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issue of a Writ of Habeas Corpus, directing the respondents 1 and 2 herein to produce the body or person of S.Thavapriya, aged 18 years, S/o.Sukkuru, before this Court and set her at liberty.

For Petitioner: Mr.K.Muthu Ganesa Pandian

For R 1 and 2 : Mr.S. Ravi

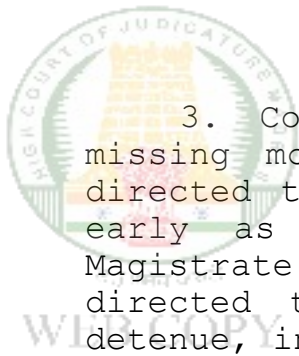
Standing counsel for the State

O R D E R

(Order of the Court was made by V.BHARATHIDASAN, J.)

Alleging that the petitioner's daughter, by name, Thavapriya, aged about 18 years, found missing from 26.08.2021, the petitioner has given a complaint before the 2nd respondent police. Since no action has been taken, the present Habeas Corpus Petition has been filed.

2. Mr. Ravi, the learned Standing Counsel for the State submitted that the petitioner's daughter is a major and she eloped with one Ragul, belongs to Uttar Pradesh. The preliminary investigation reveals that both Ragul and the petitioner's daughter were left for Uttar Pradesh and their whereabouts is not known and they are continuing the investigation.



3. Considering the submissions, sine the detenue is found missing more than twenty days, the second respondent police is directed to proceed with the investigation, secure the detenue as early as possible and produce before the concerned Judicial Magistrate. On such production, the concerned Judicial Magistrate is directed to pass suitable orders regarding the custody of the detenue, in accordance with law.

4. With the above directions, the Habeas Corpus Petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AE)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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Note :

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To

- 1.The Superintendent of Police,
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- 2.The Sub-Inspector of Police,
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- 3.The Addl.Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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