



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 09.02.2022

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.SUBRAMANIAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUMAR

H.C.P. (MD) No.117 of 2021

S.Manimegalai ... Petitioner/Aunty of the detenu

-vs-

1.The State, represented by
The Superintendent of Police,
Pudukkottai,
Pudukkottai District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Thirumayam Police Station,
Pudukkottai District.

3.Selvam ... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of habeas corpus directing the respondents to produce the person or body of minor Viji, daughter of Pitchamuthu, aged about 15 years and handover her custody to the Petitioner.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Ramakrishnan
for M/s.B.Jameel Arasu
For Respondents : Mr.S.Ravi
1 and 2 Additional Public Prosecutor

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R. SUBRAMANIAN, J

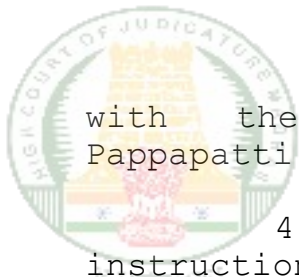
AND

N. SATHISH KUMAR, J

The Petitioner seeks for the production of the person of her minor daughter Viji, aged about 15 years.

2.Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and perused the materials placed before this Court.

3.Even in the affidavit filed in support of this Petition, the Petitioner has stated that the detenu has got acquaintance



with the third respondent herein/Selvam, who is a resident of Pappapatti Village, Natham Taluk, Dindigul District.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor, on instructions, would submit that the detainee is suspected to be living with the third respondent in Bangalore. It is also stated that the persons who have helped them to elope were already arrested and they were remanded to judicial custody

5.Hence, this Habeas Corpus Petition is disposed of, with a direction to the respondents 1 and 2 /Police to secure the girl and produce her before the concerned Judicial Magistrate, for appropriate orders. The Deputy Superintendent of Police, Pudukkottai is directed to monitor the investigation in this case.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (P&A)

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- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Thirumayam Police Station,
Pudukkottai District.
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

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THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE,
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