



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 25.03.2022

CORAM:

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

H.C.P. (MD) No.1536 of 2021

Vanitha

...Petitioner/Mother of Detenu

Vs.

1.The Additional Chief Secretary to the Government,
Home, Prohibition and Excise Department,
Secretariat,
Chennai - 600 009.

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

3.The Superintendent of Prison,
Central Prison,
Tiruchirappalli.

...Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Habeas Corpus, to call for the entire records pertaining to the impugned Detention Order passed by the second respondent made in his proceedings in P.D.No.121/2021 dated 16.09.2021 in detaining the detenu under Section 2(f) of the Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982 as a Goonda and quash the same and direct the respondents to produce the detenu namely, Nanthakumar S/o.Baskar, Male, aged about 21 years, who is detained in Central Prison, Trichy, before this Court and set him at liberty.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.M.Karunakaran

For Respondents : Mr.A.Thiruvadi Kumar
Additional Public Prosecutor.



O R D E R

R.SUBRAMANIAN, J.

AND

N.SATHISH KUMAR, J.

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The petitioner is the mother of the detenu, namely, Nanthakumar S/o.Baskar, aged about 21 years. The detenu has been detained by the second respondent by his proceedings in P.D.No.121/2021 dated 16.09.2021, holding him to be a "Goonda", as contemplated under Section 2(f) of Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982. The said order is under challenge in this Habeas Corpus Petition.

2. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent, by producing a copy of G.O.Rt.No.5747, Home, Prohibition & Excise (XV) Department, dated 26.11.2021, would state that the impugned detention order has been revoked and hence, the prayer sought for in this Habeas Corpus Petition has become infructuous.

3. Recording the same, this Habeas Corpus Petition is dismissed as having become infructuous.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AE)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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

5.The Joint Secretary to Government,
Public (Law & Order),
Fort St.George,
Chennai - 9.

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