



HCP(MD)No.1395 of 2022

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 26.08.2022

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The Honourable Mr. Justice **P.N.PRAKASH**
and
The Honourable Mrs. Justice **R.HEMALATHA**

H.C.P.(MD)No.1395 of 2022

C.Vadivel

... Petitioner

Vs

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Pudukottai District, Pudukottai.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Udaiyalipatti Police Station,
Kulathur Taluk
Pudukottai District.

3.Pandi

... Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a writ of Habeas Corpus directing the 1st and 2nd respondents to secure the person or body of the petitioner's wife namely Pandiselvi, aged about 23 years, the detinue herein and produce before this Court and set her at liberty.



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For Petitioner : Ms.A.Arul Jenifer
For Respondents : Mr.T.Senthil Kumar
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by **P.N.PRAKASH, J.**]

It is the case of the petitioner that Pandiselvi and he were in love with each other, which was not to the liking of her parents and therefore, they both eloped and got married on 03.08.2022 at Veerakaliamman Temple at Perambur. However, alleging that Pandiselvi is in the illegal custody of her parents, the present Habeas Corpus Petition has been filed.

2. Today, Ms.K.Sumaiya Banu, Sub Inspector of Police, Udayalipatti Police Station, Pudukottai District, the petitioner, Pandiselvi (detenue) and her parents are present.

3. Admittedly, Pandiselvi is 23 years old and has passed B.Sc. (Chemistry). After great vacillation, she decided to go with the petitioner. Pandiselvi not being minor, we cannot force her to go with anyone. Therefore, she is set at liberty to chalk out her life.



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4. Accordingly, the Habeas Corpus Petition is closed.

(P.N.P.,J.) (R.H.,J.)
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Internet : Yes

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