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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 12.12.2023

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.S. SUNDAR

AND

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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Kumaresan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The State of Tamil Nadu rep.by its  
Secretary to the Government  
Home, Prohibition & Excise Department  
Fort St George, Chennai 600 009.

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

3.The Superintendent of Police  
Thiruvannamalai District, Thiruvannamalai.

4.The Inspector of Police  
Kilpennathur Police Station  
Thiruvannamalai District.

5.The Superintendent  
Special Prison for Women, Vellore.

... Respondents



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**Prayer** : Habeas Corpus Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, calling for the records of the detention made in DO.No.73/2023-C2 dated 17.07.2023 passed by the District Collector and District Magistrate, Thiruvannamalai District, Thiruvannamalai the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent herein and set aside the same and direct the respondents to produce the detenu before this Court and set the detenu Thirumathi Jaya, wife of Kumaresan, aged 24 years now confined in Special Prison for Women, Vellore and set her at liberty.

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| For Petitioner  | : Mr.R.Balakrishnan          |
| For Respondents | : Mr.E.Raj Thilak            |
|                 | Additional Public Prosecutor |
|                 | assisted by Mr.Aravind.C     |

### ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by S.S.SUNDAR, J.,]

- (1)The petitioner, husband of the detenu, has come forward with this petition challenging the detention order passed by the 2nd respondent dated 17.07.2023 slapped on his wife, branding her as "Bootlegger" under the Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982.
- (2)The learned Additional Public Prosecutor would submit that the order of detention passed by the second respondent as against the detenu herein dated 10.07.2023 has been revoked by the Government in G.O. [Rt]



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No.4903, Home, Prohibition & Excise [XI] Department dated 07.09.2023

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and he has also produced a copy of the said order.

(3)Recording the submission of the learned Additional Public Prosecutor,  
this petition is dismissed as having become infructuous.

[S.S.S.R., J.] [S.M, J.]  
12.12.2023

AP

Internet : Yes

To

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6.The Public Prosecutor,  
High Court, Madras.



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