



HCP(MD)No.434 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 10.04.2023

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The Honourable Mr. Justice **R.SURESH KUMAR**
and
The Honourable Mr. Justice **K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN**

H.C.P.(MD)No.108 of 2023

S.Elango

.. Petitioner

Vs.

The State rep by,

1.The Commissioner of Police,
Madurai Commissioner Office,
Madurai.

2.The Inspector of Police,
S.S.Colony Police Station,
Madurai.

(Crime No.2427/2022)

.. Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a writ of Habeas Corpus directing the respondents herein to produce the body or person of the petitioner's daughter Sindhuja, D/o.Elango aged about 16 years and hand over to the custody to petitioner.

For Petitioner : Mr.L.Prabhu

For Respondents : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar
Additional Public Prosecutor



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ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by **R.SURESH KUMAR, J.**]

This Habeas Corpus petition has been filed directing the respondents herein to produce the body or person of the petitioner's daughter Sindhuja, D/o.Elango aged about 16 years and hand over to the custody to petitioner.

2. The detinue namely, Sindhuja, a minor girl of 16 years old, who is the daughter of the petitioner. Pursuant to the complaint given by the petitioner, as the detinue is missing for some time, since the police could not trace the detinue, this petition has been filed. During last occasions, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents wanted some time to find out the detinue and to produce before this Court.

3. Accordingly, when this petition came up for hearing today, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that the girl has been secured and she has been produced before this Court.



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4. When we enquired the detinue, who is a minor, she stated that she is studying +2, before she writes +2 examination, she had left Nagapattinam District, where she claimed to have worked in a TATOO shop and she made a statement that she wants to go with her parents, ie., the petitioner and his wife, who also present before this Court.

5. The petitioner as well as his wife, ie. the parents of the detinue also appeared before this Court, who stated that they would take care of the well-being of the detinue. Recording the same, we feel that the detinue can be permitted to go with her parents, ie., the petitioner and his wife. Accordingly, this petition is closed.

(R.S.K.,J.) (K.K.R.K.,J.)
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