



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 19.06.2023

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CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.SURESH KUMAR
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN

H.C.P. (MD) No.1249 of 2022

Shunmugadurai

... Petitioner / Detenu

Vs.

1.State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep.by the Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Home, Prohibition and Excise Department,
Secretariat, Chennai- 600 009.

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

3.The Superintendent of Prison,
Central Prison, Palayamkottai,
Tirunelveli.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Habeas Corpus, calling for the entire records connected with the detention order of the 2nd respondent in M.H.S.Confdl.No.99 / 2022, dated 17.06.2022 and quash the same and direct the respondents to produce the body or person of the detenu, namely, Shunmugadurai, S/o.Maharajan, aged about 22 years, now detained at Central Prison, Palayamkottai before this Court and set him at liberty.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Pragalathan
For Respondents : Mr.A.Thiruvadi Kumar
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by **R.SURESH KUMAR, J.**)

Today, when the matter is taken up for hearing, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the respondents has submitted that the date of detention is 17.06.2022. Therefore, one year detention period is over. Hence, this Habeas Corpus Petition has become infructuous.



2.The said position is not controverted by the learned counsel for the petitioner.

3.In view of the same, this Habeas Corpus Petition is dismissed as infructuous.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS I)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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2.The District Collector and District Magistrate,
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4 THE JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
PUBLIC (LAW & ORDER), FORT ST.GEORGE, CHENNAI - 9

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

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