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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 29.09.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Additional Superintendent of Police,
Prohibition and Excise Wing (PEW),
Virudhunagar District, Virudhunagar.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Sivakasi East Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
(In Crime No.352 of 2022)

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the 1st respondent to release the petitioner's vehicle by branding name "Honda Active" bearing Registration No.TN 95 E0612 pending disposal of the confiscation proceedings of the 1st respondent Police Station in connection with FIR in Crime No.352 of 2022 on the file of the 2nd respondent.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Veerapandiselvaraj

For Respondents : Mr.K.Sanjai Gandhi

Government Advocate (Criminal side)



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ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for Writ of Mandamus, to direct the 1st respondent to release the petitioner's vehicle by branding name “Honda Active” bearing Registration No.TN 95 E0612 pending disposal of the confiscation proceedings of the 1st respondent Police Station in connection with FIR in Crime No.352 of 2022 on the file of the 2nd respondent.

2.The learned Government Advocate appearing for respondents submitted that the respondents have already auctioned the vehicle. Therefore, nothing survives for adjudication.

3.Therefore, petitioner is at liberty to seek relief as per law. With this observation, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

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