



Cont.P.(MD)No.2145 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 01.12.2023

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.SUNDAR
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.SAKTHIVEL

Cont.P.(MD)No.2145 of 2023
and Sub.Application (MD)No.282 of 2023

A.Padmini

... Petitioner

vs.

Mr.K.Panindra Reddy, I.A.S.,
Principal Secretary to Government,
Home (Prison IV) Department,
Fort St. George,
Chennai – 600 009.

... Respondent

Contempt Petition filed under Section 11 of Contempt of Courts Act to punish the respondent herein for his willful and deliberate disobedience of the order of this Hon'ble Court dated 03.08.2023 made in W.P.(MD)No.18730 of 2023.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Karthikeyan

For Respondent : Mr.A.Thiurvadi Kumar,
Additional Public Prosecutor.



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ORDER

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

When the matter was taken up, the question as to the date on which the order dated 03.08.2023 made in W.P.(MD)No.18730 of 2023 was received by the sole respondent in the Contempt Petition became relevant owing to paragraph 3 of the order qua which the contempt petition is predicated.

2. Faced with the above situation, learned counsel submitted that he would apply for a certified copy and ascertain the date of receipt of aforementioned order dated 03.08.2023 and sought leave of this Court to withdraw the captioned Contempt Petition but made a plea to preserve the rights of the petitioner to come up with a similar / same Contempt Petition after doing the needful.

3. Learned counsel has made an endorsement in the case file and a scanned reproduction of the same is as follows:



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Submitted:
This Hon'ble Court may be
pleased to permit ^{me} to withdraw this Petition.
[Signature] ms 295/13
01.12.23

4. In the light of the narrative thus far, Contempt Petition is disposed of as closed albeit preserving the rights and contentions of the petitioner to come up with a similar /same prayer after doing the needful qua date of receipt of the order dated 03.08.2023 by the respondent.

5. Contempt Petition is closed albeit with the aforementioned observations and preservation of rights in the aforementioned manner. Consequently, captioned sub application also closed with the same observations and same preservation of rights.

(M.S., J.) (R.S.V., J.)
01.12.2023

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