



Cont.P.(MD)No.2146 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.2146 of 2023**  
**and Sub.Application (MD)No.283 of 2023**

S.Saraswathi

... Petitioner

vs.

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

2.Amaresh Pujari, I.P.S.,  
Inspector General of Prison,  
CMDA Towers II,  
No.1, Gandhi Irwin Road,  
Egmore, Chennai – 600 008.

3.T.Pazhani,  
Deputy Inspector General of Prisons,  
Madurai Range,  
Central Prison Campus,  
Madurai – 625 016.

4.A.Prasuraman,  
Superintendent of Prisons,  
Central Prison,  
Madurai – 625 016.

... Respondents



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Contempt Petition filed under Section 11 of Contempt of Courts Act to punish the respondents herein for their willful and deliberate disobedience of the order of this Hon'ble Court dated 11.07.2023 made in W.P.(MD)No.16634 of 2023.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Karthikeyan

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

### **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 11.07.2023 made in W.P.(MD)No.16634 of 2023 was received by the respondents 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 11.07.2023 and sought leave of this Court to withdraw the captioned Contempt Petition but made a plea to preserve



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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:

Submitted:  
This Hon'ble Court may be  
pleased to permit me to withdraw  
this Petition.  
[Signature]  
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 11.07.2023 by the respondents.



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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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