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H.C.P.No.542 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 20.06.2024

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

AND

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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Murugan

... Petitioner/father of the detenue

Vs.

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

2.The Commissioner of Police,
Greater Chennai, Chennai.

3.The Inspector of Police,
F-3 Nungambakkam Police Station,
Chennai.

4.The Superintendent,
Central Prison, Puzhal,
Chennai.

... Respondents



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Prayer : Habeas Corpus Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a Writ of Habeas Corpus, to call for the entire records, relating to the petitioner's son detention under Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982 vide detention order, dated 01.02.2024 on the file of the second respondent herein made in proceedings No.74/BCDFGISSSV/2024 and quash the same as illegal and consequently direct the respondents herein to produce the said petitioner's son namely Suresh @ Otharupa Suresh, aged 27 years, son of Murugan, before this Court and set him at liberty, now petitioner's son detained at Central Prison, Puzhal, Chennai-600 066.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.C.Chellappan

For Respondents : Mr.A.Gokulakrishnan
Additional Public Prosecutor
assisted by
Mr.C.Aravind

ORDER

M.S.RAMESH, J.
and
SUNDER MOHAN, J.

The petitioner is the father of the detenu viz., Suresh @ Otharupa Suresh, aged 27 years, son of Murugan, detained at Central Prison, Puzhal, Chennai-600 066, has come forward with this petition challenging the detention order passed by the second respondent dated 01.02.2024 slapped



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on his son, branding him as "Goonda" under the Tamil Nadu Prevention of Dangerous Activities of Bootleggers, Drug Offenders, Forest Offenders, Goondas, Immoral Traffic Offenders, Sand Offenders, Slum Grabbers and Video Pirates Act, 1982 [Tamil Nadu Act, 14 of 1982].

2.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor would submit that the order of detention passed by the second respondent as against the petitioner's son, dated 01.02.2024 has been revoked by the Government in G.O.Rt.No.1477, Home, Prohibition and Excise (XIII) Department, dated 13.03.2024 and he has also produced a copy of the said order.

3.Recording the submission of the learned Additional Public Prosecutor, this petition is dismissed as the same has become infructuous.

[M.S.R., J] [S.M., J]
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5.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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