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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 21.11.2024

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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Vellachi V Arunachalam

... Petitioner

vs.

Jhony Chellappa,  
The Inspector of Police,  
Bank Fraud Wing, Team XI,  
Central Crime Branch,  
Vepery, Chennai- 600 007.  
(F.I.R in Cr.No.80 of 2009)

... Respondent

PRAYER: Contempt Petition filed under Section 11 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971, to punish the respondent for committing contempt of this Court for not obeying the order dated 04.06.2024 passed in Crl.R.C.No.76 of 2024.

For Petitioner : Mr.J.Ranjith Kumar for  
M/s.Surana and Surana

For Respondent : Dr.C.E.Pratap,  
Government Advocate (Crl. Side)



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## ORDER

This Contempt Petition has been filed to punish the respondent for not obeying the order, dated 04.06.2024 passed by this Court in Crl.R.C.No.76 of 2024.

2.This Court by order, dated 04.06.2024 in para 17(iii) had passed the following directions:

*“(iii)The respondent police to inform the Immigration Authorities that the petitioner is permitted to travel without obstruction.”*

3.According to the learned counsel for the petitioner, it is this direction that has been violated by the respondent Police; that when the petitioner wanted to travel, the immigration authorities prevented him from doing so.

4.The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that though the respondent Police had challenged the order passed by this Court on



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04.06.2024 before the Hon'ble Supreme Court, the same was withdrawn subsequently; that thereafter the Look Out Circular was withdrawn; that pursuant to which the petitioner had also travelled abroad; and that therefore he is not pressing the contempt petition.

5.In view of the change in circumstances and in view of the submissions of the learned counsel for the petitioner, this Court is of the view that the contempt petition can be closed. Hence, the contempt petition is closed.

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Index: Yes/No  
Internet: Yes/No  
Speaking Order/Non-Speaking Order  
Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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To

1.The Inspector of Police,  
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2.The Public Prosecutor,  
High Court, Madras.

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