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W.P.No.34805 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 02.02.2024

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH
AND
THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

W.P.No.34805 of 2023
and WMP No.3481 of 2023

S.Lakshmi

...Petitioner

vs.

1. The Home Secretary,
Home Department,
Secretariat, Fort St. George,
Chennai – 600 009.

2. The Director General of Police and
Inspector General of Prisons,
Whannels Road, Egmore, Chennai – 600 008.

3. The Deputy Director General of Prison,
O/o.Deputy Director General of Prison,
Vellore Central Prison, Vellore District.

4. The Superintendent of Prison,
Cuddalore Central Prison,Cuddalore District.

...Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India,
praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to
premature release of the Life Convict Muthusamy S/o.Veerassamy CT-15129



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as per the G.O.448 Home (Pri-IV) Dept in pursuant to petitioner representation to the respondents dated on 04.11.2023.

For Petitioner :: Mr.P.Muthamizhselvakumar
For Respondents :: Mr.E.Raj Thilak
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by M.S.RAMESH,J.)

The petitioner, who is the sister of the life convict viz., Muthusamy S/o.Veerassamy (CT-15129), confined in Central Prison, Cuddalore, has come forward with this writ petition to direct the respondents to consider her representation dated 04.11.2023 for premature release of her brother/Convict Prisoner.

2. The petitioner states that her brother has completed 23 years of sentence and many life convicts have been released pursuant to issuance of G.O.(Ms.) No.488 Home (Prison-IV) Department dated 15.11.2021 in connection with 113rd Birthday of Aringnar Anna. Therefore, she had sent a representation to the respondents on 04.11.2023. Since the same has not been considered till date, she has come forward with this writ petition.



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3.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned

Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents.

4.Having regard to the limited scope of the prayer in the writ petition, this Court, without going into the merits of the petitioner's representation or the contentions of the petitioner in the affidavit filed in support of this writ petition, directs the respondents to consider the representation of the petitioner, dated 04.11.2023 for premature release of her brother/Convict Prisoner viz., Muthusamy S/o.Veerassamy (CT-15129), confined now in Central Prison, Cuddalore and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, and communicate the same to the petitioner.

5.With the above direction, this writ petition is disposed of. Consequently, the connected Writ Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

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