



H.C.P.(MD)No.1488 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 04.12.2024

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MS.JUSTICE R.POORNIMA**

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Sudha

... Petitioner / Mother of Detenu

Vs.

1.The State of Tamilnadu,
Rep by the Superintendent of Police,
Kanyakumari District,
Kanyakumari.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Palugal Police Station,
Kanyakumari District.

... Respondents

PRAYER : Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India
praying for the issue of a Writ of Habeas Corpus, directing the
respondents 1 and 2 herein to produce the body or person of detenue by
name Sumesh Raj.S, S/o.Sundar Raj, aged about 18 years and produce
him before this Court and set him at liberty.



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For Petitioner : Mr.R.Ilayaraja

For Respondents : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar,
Addl. Public Prosecutor.

ORDER

(Order of the court was delivered by G.R.Swaminathan, J.)

Heard both sides.

2.The petitioner is the mother of the detenu. The petitioner's son aged about 19 years is missing since 13.11.2024. The complaint given by the petitioner has been taken on file by the second respondent and CSR receipt has been issued.

3.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor on instructions states that it appears to be a case of elopement. Since the detenu is a major aged about 19 year, we are not inclined to entertain this habeas corpus petition. We however direct the second respondent to take earnest efforts to trace the missing boy.



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4.This habeas corpus petition is disposed of with the aforesaid direction.

**(G.R.S. J.) & (R.P. J.)
04.12.2024**

NCC : Yes/No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes/ No
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To:-

- 1.The Superintendent of Police,
Kanyakumari District,
Kanyakumari.
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Palugal Police Station,
Kanyakumari District.
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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