



H.C.P.No.768 of 2025

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 16.07.2025

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V.LAKSHMINARAYANAN

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... Petitioner

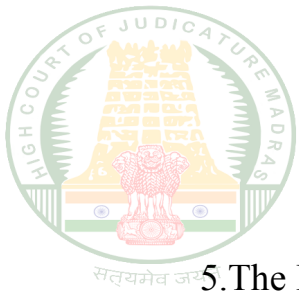
Vs.

1.The Additional Secretary to Government of India,
Ministry of Consumer Affairs,
Food and Public Distribution,
Room No.270, Krishi Bhavan,
New Delhi – 110 001.

2.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by Principal Secretary to Government,
Co-operation, Food & Consumer Protection Department,
Fort St.George,
Chennai – 600 009.

3.The Commissioner of Police,
Avadi City,
Office of the Commissioner of Police,
(Black Marketeer Section),
Avadi, Chennai – 54.

4.The Superintendent of Police,
Central Prison, Puzhal,
Chennai – 66.



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5.The Inspector of Police,
C.S.C.I.D, Chennai North Unit,
Chennai – 53.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Habeas Corpus, calling for the records relating to the detention order dated 26.03.2025 passed by the third respondent in No.03 of 2025/Black Marketing Act/2025 and quash the same and direct the respondents herein to produce the petitioner's husband Santhosh Kumar, S/o.Chandran, aged 40 years, who is presently undergoing detention in the Central Prison, Puzhal, before this Court and set him at liberty forthwith.

For Petitioner	: Mr.P.Chandrasekar
For R1	: Dr.D.Simon, (SCGSC)
For R3 to R5	: Mr.E.Raj Thilak Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

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

When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned counsel for the petitioner, as well as the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents, by producing a copy of the Government Order in G.O.Rt.No.129, Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection (E1) Department, dated 30.04.2025, submitted that the detention order has already been revoked.



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2. Recording the said submission, this Habeas Corpus Petition

stands dismissed as infructuous. No costs.

[M.S.R, J.]

[V.L.N, J.]

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6.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

7.The Joint Secretary, Public (Law & Order),
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