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HCP.No.2416 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED 20.11.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUMAR

AND

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.JOTHIRAMAN

H.C.P.No.2416 of 2025

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.. Petitioner

Versus

1. The Superintendent of Police
Thiruvallur District

2. The Inspector of Police
Mannavalan Nagar Police Station
Tiruvallur District
(CSR.No.606/2025)

3.R.Stuart Allen

4.R.Enoneh Francklin

.. Respondents

Prayer:- Habeas Corpus Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for a Writ of Habeas Corpus, directing the respondents 1 and 2 to produce the petitioner's father namely D.Rajamanickam, Male, aged about 85 years, who is under the illegal custody of respondents 3 and 4 before this Court and set him at liberty.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Kavitha

For Respondents : Mr.A.Damodaran for R1 & R2



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Additional Public Prosecutor
assisted by M.Karthikeyan for R1 and R2

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by **N.SATHISH KUMAR, J.**)

This petition has been filed directing the respondents 1 and 2 to produce the petitioner's father namely D.Rajamanickam, Male, aged about 85 years, who is under the illegal custody of respondents 3 and 4 before this Court and set him at liberty.

2. The petitioner is the daughter of the deteneu seeks for production of his father, who is admittedly with his sons/respondents 3 and 4. Though the petitioner would contend that her father is illegally kept by the respondents, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor on instructions submitted that due to some property dispute, this petition is filed. He has also recorded the statement of the deteneu and also shown the video, wherein, the deteneu is residing with their sons. Therefore, we are of the view that cannot be termed as illegal custody. Merely, because the father and mother live with their sons, such custody cannot be held as to be illegal detention to invoke HCP jurisdiction.



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3. Accordingly, this Habeas Corpus Petition stands dismissed.

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[N.S.K.,J.] [M.J.R.,J.]
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Index: Yes/No
Neutral Citation: Yes/No
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