



W.P.Crl.No.1658 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 15.12.2025

Coram:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P.VELMURUGAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.JOTHIRAMAN

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M.Gowthaman

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Home, Prohibition and Excise Department,
Secretariat, Chennai – 600 009.
2. The Director General of Police &
Director General of Prisons and Correctional Service,
Whannels Road, Egmore, Chennai – 600 008.
3. The Superintendent of Prison,
Central Prison, Coimbatore 641018.

... Respondents

Prayer: This Writ Petition (Criminal) has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 10.11.2025 and release the petitioner's father namely Mr.Murugesan, S/o.Kanniyappan, aged 57 years, convict prisoner, PID No.71997, Central Prison, Coimbatore, on medical grounds.



For Petitioner : Mr.P.Pugalenthir

For Respondents : Mr.R.Muniyapparaj, Addl. Public Prosecutor
Assisted by Mr.Sylvester John

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed seeking directions to the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 10.11.2025 for premature release of his father, who is a convict prisoner, namely, Murugesan S/o.Kanniyappan, aged 57 years convict prisoner PID No.71997, Central Prison, Coimbatore, on medical grounds.

2 Considering the limited prayer sought for in the writ petition, without expressing any of the views on the merits of the case, we are inclined to direct the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation.

3 Accordingly, the respondents are directed to consider the petitioner's representation dated 10.11.2025 for premature release of his father, who is the convict prisoner, namely, Murugesan S/o.Kanniyappan, aged 57 years, convict prisoner PID No.71997, Central Prison, Coimbatore, on merits in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible.



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With the above directions, this Writ Petition stands disposed of.

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[MJRJ]

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