



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

**DATED: 29-06-2026**

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**THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE G.K. ILANTHIRAIYAN**

**WP CrI. No. 858 of 2025**

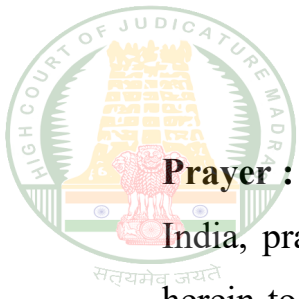
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V.N.Shinnakani, Age-65,  
S/o.V.Nataraj Nadar,  
No.12, Mettu Street, Naravaraikuppam,  
Chennai-600 052.

..Petitioners

Vs

1. The State Rep by, The Inspector of Police,  
M4, Redhills Police Station,  
GNT Road, Padianallur,  
Chennai-600 052.
2. Mr.Natarajan
3. Mrs.Kowsalya  
(R2 and R3 are impleaded as per the  
order of this Court dated 11.06.2026 in  
WPMP.CrI.No.497 of 2025 in  
WP.CrI.No.858 of 2025)

..Respondents



**Prayer :** Writ Petition (Criminal) filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents police herein to provide adequate police protection to the petitioner for removing the movable articles vested in the petitioner's property upon petitioner representation dated 04.08.2025 and to dispose the same by the respondent police.

For Petitioners: M/s.A.M.Sheik Mohammed Rafiq

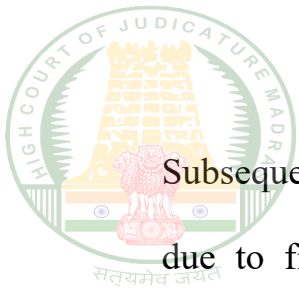
For Respondents: Mr.R.Ganesh Kumar  
Counsel for Government of Tamil Nadu  
(Criminal Side) for R1  
Mr.S.R.Gulshan Kumar for R2 & R3

### **ORDER**

This Writ Petition (Criminal) has been filed seeking a direction to the first respondent to provide adequate police protection to the petitioners to enable them to remove the movable articles located within their property.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and perused the materials available on record.

3. The petitioners are the owners of the property comprised in S.Nos.88/1, 88/1A, New S.No.88/86, admeasuring 2000 sq.ft, situated at No.3, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Church Street, Redhills, Naravarikuppam, Chennai. The property was leased out to one N.Sumathi for a period of 15 years at a monthly rent of Rs.60,000/- to run a scan center in the name and style of "Golden Scan Centre".



Subsequently, the tenant, N.Sumathi committed suicide along with her family due to financial distress. The incident occurred within the jurisdiction of

Thirumangalam Police Station, which registered an FIR in Crime No.109 of 2025 under Section 194 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023. Thereafter, the premises, which was rented out to the said N.Sumathi, remained under the lock and key of the respondents 2 and 3 herein. There are movable articles are available in the rented premises. Further, admittedly, the rental agreement entered into between the petitioners and the deceased has come to an end and there is no relationship of landlord and tenant.

4. In view of the above, the second and third respondents, being the legal heirs of the deceased N.Sumathi, are directed to take all the movable articles, which is available in the petitioners' premises by opening the lock and to hand over the vacant possession of the subject property to the petitioner within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. With the above direction, this Writ Petition (Criminal) stands disposed of. No costs.

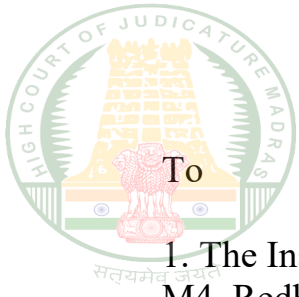
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To

1. The Inspector of Police,  
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GNT Road, Padianallur,  
Chennai-600 052.

2. The Public Prosecutor,  
High Court, Madras.



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