

WP CrI. No. 1792 of 2025

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 17-06-2026

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THE HON'BLE DR.JUSTICE ANITA SUMANTH

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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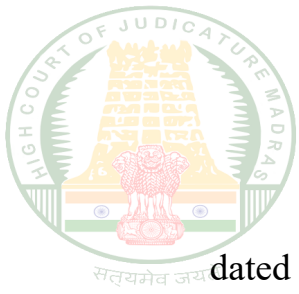
..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The State rep.by its, The Secretary to
Government of Tamilnadu,
Home (Prison-IV) Department,
Fort St.George,
Chennai-600 009.
2. The Deputy Inspector General of Prison,
Chennai Range,
Chennai Egmore,
Chennai-600 008.
3. The Superintendent,
Puzhal Women's Prison,
Puzhal-600 066.

..Respondent(s)

PETITION filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to call for the records pertaining to the vide Impugned order No.829/thaku, 1/2025,



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dated 16.10.2025 issued by the 3rd respondent and quash the same and consecutively direct the 3rd respondent to grant ordinary leave for 40 days without escort to the detenu, Vanitha, D/o.Ramalingam, aged about 36 years, PID NO.20156, detained at Womens Prison, Puzhal.

For Petitioner(s): Ms.K.Akshya for
M/s.S.Manoharan

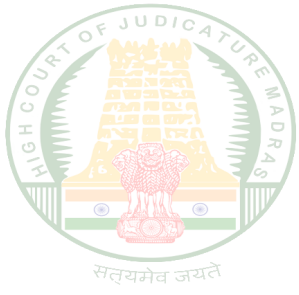
For Respondent(s): Mr. C.R. Malarvannan
Counsel for Government Of Tamil Nadu
(Criminal Side)

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by Sunder Mohan J.)

The mother of the convict, viz., Vanitha, aged 36 years, has filed this writ petition challenging the impugned order dated 16.10.2025 by which the petitioner's request for ordinary leave for the convict has been rejected on the ground that the convict has not completed one year since she had returned from the earlier leave on 04.06.2025.

2. We do not find any infirmity in the impugned order.



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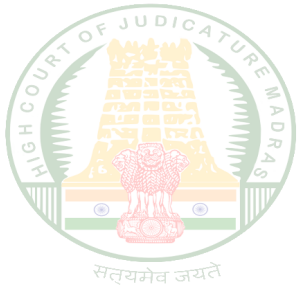
3. The impugned order was passed on 16.10.2025. It is seen that as on date, one year has elapsed from the convict's return to jail after her earlier leave. Therefore, the respondents are directed to consider the petitioner's request in the light of the above changed circumstances and pass appropriate orders within one week from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. The writ petition is closed with the above directions.

(A.S.M.,J.) (S.M.,J.)
17-06-2026

Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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To

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4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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