



W.P.CrI.(MD) No.679 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 06.02.2026

CORAM:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN
and
THE HONOURABLE MS.JUSTICE R.POORNIMA**

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Sudalaikannu

... Petitioner

-VS-

**1. The Deputy Inspector General of Prisons
O/o. The Deputy Inspector General of Prisons
and Correctional Services Department
Madurai Range, Madurai Central Prison Campus,
New Jail Road, Madurai.**

**2. The Superintendent of Prison
Central Prison,
Madurai**

**3. The Superintendent of Police
Tirunelveli**

**4. The Inspector of Police
Kadayam Police Station
Tirunelveli District**

....Respondents.

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 and 2 to grant emergency leave for the period of 15 days to the petitioner's brother who is a convict prisoner namely Arumugam, S/o.Sudalaikannu, CP No.1302 by considering the representation dated 02.02.2026



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For Petitioner : Mr.SMA Jinnah

For Respondents : Mr.R.Meenakshi Sundaram
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by **G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN, J.**]

The prayer in the Writ Petition is to direct the respondents 1 and 2 to grant emergency leave for the period of 15 days to the petitioner's brother who is a convict prisoner namely Arumugam, S/o.Sudalaikannu, CP No.1302 by considering the representation dated 02.02.2026

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and perused the materials placed before this Court.

3. Without expressing any opinion on merits of the writ petition, the second respondent is directed to dispose the representation submitted by the petitioner dated 02.02.2026, if any received by the second respondent on its own merits and in accordance with law within a period of one week from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



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4. With the above direction, the writ petition (Crl.) stands disposed of.

No costs.

[G.K.I., J.] [R.P., J.]
06.02.2026

NCC : Yes / No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes / No
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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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