



W.P.Crl.(MD) No.932 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 19.02.2026

CORAM:

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

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... Petitioner

-VS-

**1. The Deputy Inspector General of Prison
Madurai Zone
Madurai Central Prison
Madurai- 625 001**

**2. The Superintendent of Prison
Central Prison
Palayamkottai
Tirunelveli- 627 002**

**3. The Superintendent of Police
O/o.The Superintendent of Police
Tirunelveli**

**4. The Inspector of Police
Rajakkamangalam Police Station
Nagercoil
Kanyakumari District**

..Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue
a writ of mandamus directing the first respondent to modify the order dated



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26.08.2025 in No.4391/Tha.ku.2/2025 and to grant emergency leave of 6 days without escort to the petitioner's husband, the prisoner, namely Manikandan, S/o.Selvaraj bearing LCT No.4391(PID No.159540)serving life sentence at Palayamkottai Central Prison.

For Petitioner : Mr.R. Narayanan

For Respondents : Mr.T.Senthil Kumar
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

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

When the matter is taken up for hearing today, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents submitted that the prayer sought for in this petition has become infructuous.

2. Recording the same, the petition stands dismissed as infructuous. However the petitioner is at liberty to approach the authorities concerned for emergency leave afresh.

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

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