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H.C.P.(MD)No.257 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 04.03.2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

AND

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE P.DHANABAL

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Kalai Selvi

.. Petitioner / mother of the detenu
Vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police,
District Superintendent's Office,
Thanjavur District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Taluk Police Station, Thanjavur.

3.Gangadharan

.. Respondents

Prayer :Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a writ of Habeas Corpus, directing the second respondent to produce the person or body of the detenu, namely, Sathiya D/o. Gopal, aged about 20 years, daughter of the petitioner before this Court and set her at liberty.



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For Petitioner : Mr.K.Anand
For R-1 & R-2 : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar,
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by N. ANAND VENKATESH,J.)

The mother has filed this Habeas Corpus Petition to produce her daughter, who is the detenue and to set her at liberty.

2. When the matter was taken up for hearing today, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for respondent Nos.1 and 2 on instructions would submit that the detenue got married to the third respondent. He further submitted that the detenue is a major and her date of birth is 03.10.2005.

3. In the light of the above submission, there shall be a direction to the second respondent to produce the detenue before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.II, Thanjavur. The learned Judicial Magistrate shall record the statement of the detenue and proceed further in accordance with law. The petitioner, who is the mother, shall also be put on notice, so that, she



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can also be present in the Court at the time of recording the statement of the
detenue.

4. This Habeas Corpus Petition is disposed of in the above terms.

(N.A.V.,J..) (P.D.B.,J.,)
04.03.2026

Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes / No
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To

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Thanjavur.
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