



WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 24.06.2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

AND

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN

H.C.P.(MD)No.780 of 2026

Manimala

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Theni District,
Theni-625 531.

2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Vaigai Dam Sub Division,
Theni-625 562.

3.The Inspector of Police
Vaigai Dam Police Station,
Theni District.
Crime No.132 of 2026

.. Respondents

Prayer :Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of Habeas Corpus, directing the respondent Nos.1 to 3 herein to



produce the body / person of the petitioner's minor daughter, Tharunika, aged about 17 years, hand over the custody.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Vishnu Kanth

For Respondents : Mr.D.Venkatesh,
Counsel for the State of
Tamil Nadu (Criminal Side)

ORDER

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

At the time of hearing, the detenue was produced before the Court.

She expressed her willingness to go along with the petitioner.

2. The learned counsel for the State of Tamil Nadu (Criminal Side) submitted that an FIR has been registered in Crime No.132 of 2026 which is pending investigation before the third respondent for offence under the POCSO Act. He further submitted that the medical examination is over and after recording the statement of the victim girl, she will be sent along with the petitioner.



3. Recording the same, the Habeas Corpus Petition stands closed.

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(N.A.V.,J..) (K.K.R.K.,J.)
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4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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