



WP(MD). No.21395 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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Date : 27/01/2026

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The Hon`ble Mr.Justice KRISHNAN RAMASAMY

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... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Regional Transport Officer,
Regional Transport Office,
Tn 79 Sankarankovil R1,
Tenkasi District..

2. The Regional Transport Officer,
Regional Transport Office,
Tn 57 Natham Uo, Dindigul District..

3. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Thiruvengadam Police Station, Tenkasi District..

4. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Andipatti Police Station,
Theni District..

... Respondents

PRAYER :- Writ Petition, filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st respondent to return the petitioners Swaraj Tractor bearing Registration Number TN 57 CW 1596 which was detained by the 1st respondent on 23.06.2023.



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For Petitioner : Mr.RJ.Karthick
For Respondents : Mr.K.Balasubramani for R1 and R2
Special Government Pleader
Mr.A.Albert James for R3 and R4
Government Advocate (Crl. side)

ORDER

When the writ petition was taken up for hearing, the learned Special Government Pleader for the respondents 1 and 2 would submit that since the vehicle in question was illegally sold and the matter is pending before the first respondent and the registration of the vehicle has already been cancelled and hence the prayer that has been sought for has become infructuous.

2. Recording the said submission, inasmuch as the license of the vehicle in question has been cancelled vide proceedings dated 03.10.2023 of the first respondent, the writ petition is dismissed as having become infructuous. If the petitioner is aggrieved by the proceedings of the first respondent, the petitioner is at liberty to challenge the same in accordance with law. No costs.

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NCC : Yes/No
Index : Yes/No
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