

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH  
AT HYDERABAD

(Special Original Jurisdiction)

THURSDAY, THE THIRTIETH DAY OF JUNE  
TWO THOUSAND AND ELEVEN

PRESENT

**THE HON'BLE Ms. JUSTICE G. ROHINI**

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**WRIT PETITION No.18222 OF 2011**

Between:

Farooquddin

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Petitioner

AND

The Government of A.P. and others

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Respondents

**This Court made the following :**

**THE HON'BLE Ms. JUSTICE G.ROHINI**

**WRIT PETITION No.18222 OF 2011**

**ORDER:**

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Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Pleader for Transport appearing for the respondents.

This writ petition is filed seeking a declaration that the action of the respondents in seizing the vehicle bearing No.AP 25 T 6899 under vehicle check report No.0206213, dated 22.06.2011, is arbitrary and illegal.

The check report, dated 22.06.2011 shows that the vehicle was seized on various allegations. Since the enquiry is required to be conducted by the competent authority following due process of law, it is not necessary for this Court to express any opinion as to the correctness of the said allegations. However, pending such enquiry, I deem it appropriate to direct the respondents to release the vehicle in question subject to the condition that the petitioner deposits Rs.25,000/- apart from paying the taxes if any due. The petitioner shall also furnish an undertaking that he will not alienate and incorporate any third party interest over the vehicle in question till final orders are passed. It is also made clear that the amount deposited in pursuance of this order shall be subject to the outcome of the enquiry.

Accordingly, the Writ Petition is disposed of leaving it open to the respondents to proceed with the enquiry in accordance with law. There shall be no order as to costs.

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**JUSTICE G. ROHINI**

**JUNE 30, 2011.**

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