



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 03.02.2015

CORAM

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.T.SELVAM

Cr1.O.P.(MD).No.1693 of 2015

WEB COPY

1.Vasanth
2.Kumaran
3.Murugan
4.Thirupathy
5.Vijayan
6.Sethurayan
7.Manoj

:Petitioners

-Vs-

The State by
Inspector of Police,
B-1, Melur Police Station,
Madurai,
Madurai District.

(In Crime No.46 of 2015)

:Respondents

PRAYER: Petition is filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure praying to direct the Special Court for P.C.R. Cases namely the III Additional District Sessions Judge (PCR), Madurai, to accept the surrender of the Petitioners in Crime No.46 of 2015 on the file of the Respondent Police and to dispose of his bail application on the same day itself.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Sivakumar

For Respondent : Mr.P.Kannithevan
Government Advocate (Cr1. Side)

O R D E R

The petitioners seek for a direction to the learned III Additional District and Sessions Judge (PCR), Madurai to release the petitioners on bail, on the same day in the event of their surrender and filing bail application in Cr.No.46 of 2015 pending investigation on the file of the respondent police.

2.The petitioners are accused for offences punishable under Sections 147, 148, 324, 427, 506(ii) IPC r/w. 3(1)(r), 3(1)(s) of the Scheduled Castes and The Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Ordinance Act, 2014.

3.The submissions made by Mr.R.Sivakumar, learned counsel for the petitioners and by Mr.P.Kannithevan, learned Government Advocate (Cr1. Side) representing the respondent were heard. The materials available on record were also perused.

4.Considering the nature of offences alleged against the petitioners, the fact that anticipatory bail cannot be granted in respect of offences punishable under the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Ordinance Act, 2014 and that taking



into custody of the petitioners pending consideration of their bail application could cause them irreparable hardship, this Court considers it appropriate to direct the learned III Additional District and Sessions Judge (PCR), Madurai to consider the bail application of the petitioners on merits and pass appropriate order on the same day of their surrender.

5.The petition is ordered accordingly.

sj
TO

1.The III Additional District and Sessions Judge (PCR),
Madurai.

2.The Inspector of Police,
B-1, Melur Police Station,
Madurai,
Madurai District.

3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

+1CC TO MR.R.SIVAKUMAR, ADVOCATE SR NO.4887

Crl.O.P. (MD) .No.1693 of 2015
03.02.2015

RG.04.02.2015 2P/5C(I.T)