

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 03.08.2016

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE S.NAGAMUTHU
and
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE V.BHARATHIDASAN

Criminal Appeal No.216 of 2013

Gopal @ Gopalakrishnan Appellant/Accused

-Vs-

The State by Inspector of Police
Udumalpet Police Station,
Tiruppur District. Respondent/Complainant

This Criminal Appeal has been preferred to set aside the conviction and sentence imposed by judgment dated 31.01.2012 made in S.C.No.219 of 2011 on the file of the Principal Sessions Judge, Coimbatore Division, by allowing this appeal.

For Appellant : Mr.C.Selvaraj
For Respondent : Mr.E.Raja
Additional Public Prosecutor

J U D G M E N T

(Judgment of the Court was delivered by S.NAGAMUTHU,J.)

The sole appellant Gopal @ Gopalakrishnan has come up with this appeal challenging the conviction and sentence imposed by the learned Principal Sessions Judge, Coimbatore Division in S.C.No.219 of 2011 convicting him under Section 302 IPC and sentenced him to undergo imprisonment for life.

2. Today, when the appeal was taken up, the learned counsel for the appellant submitted that the appellant is no more and thus, the appeal stands abated.

3. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor on instructions from the respondent submitted that it is true that the appellant died on 06.04.2016 and thus, the appeal stands abated. No one has come up on record to prosecute the appeal further.

In view of the above, the appeal is dismissed as abated.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

- 1.The State by Inspector of Police
Udumalpet Police Station,
Tiruppur District.
- 2.The Principal Sessions Judge,
Coimbatore Division
- 3.The Public Prosecutor
High Court, Chennai.
- 4.The Judicial Magistrate No.1,
Udumalpet.
- 5.The Chief Judicial Magistrate,
Coimbatore.
- 6.The Superintendent,
Central Prison,
Coimbatore.
- 7.The District Collector,
Coimbatore.
- 8.The Director General of Police,
Mylapore, Chennai.
- 9.The Section officer,
Criminal Section,
High Court, Madras.

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