

**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT****DATED: 13.06.2016****CORAM:****THE HONOURABLE Dr. JUSTICE S.VIMALA****Cr1.O.P. (MD) .No.9112 of 2016**

Katturaja

.. Petitioner/Accused No.4

Vs.

The State rep. by its
The Inspector of Police,
Manamadurai Police Station,
Sivagangai District

.. Respondent/Complainant

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. praying to direct the learned District and Sessions Judge (PCR Cases), Sivagangai, to consider the bail application on the surrender of the petitioner/Accused on the same day in connection with Crime No.266 of 2016 on the file of the respondent police, on merits on the same day.

For Petitioner : Mr.J.Jeyakumaran
For respondents : Mr.A.P.Balasubramani
Government Advocate (Criminal side)

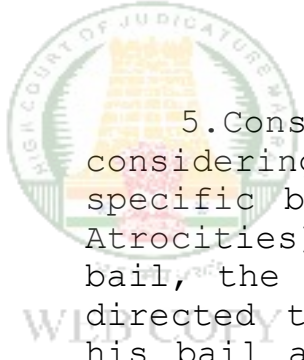
ORDER

This application has been filed seeking a direction to the Court, which is dealing with the SC/ST Act cases to consider the bail application on the day of surrender itself.

2.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Cr1. Side) for the respondents.

3.The petitioner is arrayed as accused No.4 in Crime No.266/2016 in respect of the offences under Sections 147, 148, 341, 294(b), 506(ii) IPC and r/w 3 (1)(r)(s) of SC/ST (POA) Act and that in view of the specific bar under Section 18 of the said Act, the petitioner cannot move any anticipatory bail application and therefore, the petitioner has come forward with the said prayer.

4.Learned Government Advocate (Cr1. Side) takes notice for the respondent and submits, on instructions, that investigation is almost completed.



5.Considering the submissions of both sides and also considering the nature of the prayer in this case in view of the specific bar under Section 18 of the S.C. & S.T. (Prevention of Atrocities) Act that the petitioner cannot move any anticipatory bail, the District and Sessions Judge (PCR Cases), Sivagangai, is directed to accept the surrender of the petitioner and consider his bail application, in the event of the petitioner filing such petition in Crime No.266/2016 on the file of the respondent police and dispose of the same on merits and in accordance with law on the same day.

With this observation, this petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(T&P)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1.The District and Sessions Judge (PCR Cases),
Sivagangai

2.The Inspector of Police,
Manamadurai Police Station, Sivagangai District

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

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