

HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE RAJA ELANGO

CRIMINAL PETITION No.9385 of 2016

ORDER:

This Criminal Petition, under Section 438 of the Criminal Procedure Code, is filed by the petitioner-A6 seeking to grant bail in PRC No.14 of 2016 on the file of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Kadiri, arising out of Crime No.8 of 2009 on the file of Amadaguru Police Station, Ananthapuramu District, registered for the offences punishable under Sections 366, 420, 370 and 376 r/w.34 IPC and 3, 4, 5 & 6 of the Immoral Trafficking (Prevention) Act.

Heard and perused the material available on record.

The allegation against the petitioner is that she and her husband developed friendship with the de facto complainant and with a promise to provide her a job, took her to Puttaparthi and thereafter, to Delhi and forced her to do prostitution and sold her to A3, who is running a brothel house.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is innocent of the offences alleged against her and there are no specific overt acts against her and that the police, after completion of investigation filed charge sheet against the petitioner and other accused, showing the petitioner as absconding and the Court below issued NBW against the petitioner and that the petitioner is ready to appear before the Court below and to face the trial and she will not flee from the hands of justice and hence, she may be granted anticipatory bail.

Learned Additional Public Prosecutor opposed this application.

Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor and having perused the material

available on record, this Court is inclined to pass the following order:

The petitioner - accused No.6 is directed to surrender before the Court concerned and file a petition to recall the NBW issued against her and on such petition being filed, the Court concerned is directed to recall the NBW on the same day on her executing a bond for a sum of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees fifty thousand only) with one surety for a like sum and further, the petitioner is directed to appear before the trial Court regularly on all hearing dates.

Accordingly, the Criminal Petition is disposed of. Consequently, the Miscellaneous Petitions pending, if any, shall stand closed.

RAJA ELANGO, J

July 11, 2016

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