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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED: 22.03.2018
CORAM:
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.RAJAMANICKAM

CRL.O.P.(MD)No.4429 of 2018

1.Vijay
2.Muthu
3.Dharmaraj ... Petitioners/Accused No.5, 7, 8

-Vs-

State represented by
1.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Pudukkottai District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Manamelkudi Police Station,
Aranthangi Taluk,
Pudukkottai District.
(Crime No.9 of 2018) ...1st and 2nd Respondents/ Complainants

3.Rajasekar ... 3rd Respondent/defacto complainant

PRAYER: Criminal Original petition is filed under Section 482 of Criminal Procedure Code, to direct the learned District and Sessions Judge (P.C.R.), Pudukkottai to consider and dispose of the bail application of the petitioners in Crime No.9 of 2018 on the file of the respondent on the same day of their surrender.

For Petitioners : Mr.K.Gokul
For R-1 & R-2 : Mr.Prabu Ramachandran,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

O R D E R

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed by the petitioners to direct the learned District & Sessions Judge (P.C.R.), Pudukkottai, to consider the bail application of the petitioners on the day of surrender itself in connection with Crime No.9 of 2018, on the file of the Manamelkudi Police Station, Aranthangi Taluk, Pudukkottai District

2.Heard Mr.K.Gokul, learned counsel appearing for the petitioners and Mr.Prabu Ramachandran, learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the first and second respondents.

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3.In view of the amendments made in the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes(Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989, this Court is of the view that the usual directions that were issued by this Court cannot be issued routinely in all cases. Therefore, the petitioners are directed to surrender before the trial Court within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and on such surrender, the learned District and Sessions Judge (P.C.R.), Pudukkottai, is directed to consider the bail petition filed by the petitioners in connection with Crime No.9 of 2018, on merits and in accordance with law, after issuing notice to the de-facto complainant under Section 15 (A) of the SC/ST Act.

4.With the above direction, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

Sd/
Assistant Registrar (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1.The District & Sessions Judge (P.C.R.),
Pudukkottai.

2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Pudukkottai District.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Manamelkudi Police Station,
Aranthangi Taluk, Pudukkottai District.

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

+1cc to Mr.K.Gokul, Advocate, SR.No. 57547

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