



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT  
DATED: 14.08.2018  
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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

CRL.O.P.(MD)No.14438 of 2018

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1. Balamurugan
  2. Selvasankar
  3. Kalyani @ Kalyani Sundaram
  4. Manthiram @ Manthiramoorthy
  5. Ponpandi
- ... Petitioners/Accused Nos.1 to 5  
Vs

1. The Assistant Superintendent of Police  
Cheranmahadevi  
Tirunelveli District

2. The Inspector of Police  
Munneerpallam Police Station  
Tirunelveli District  
Crime No.312 of 2018

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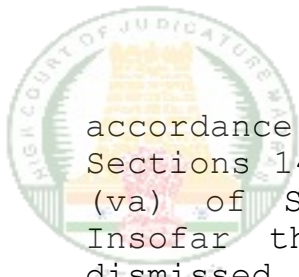
... Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, praying, to direct the learned II Additional District Sessions Judge cum Cum PCR Court, Tirunelveli, Tirunelveli District to consider the bail application of the petitioners in the event of their surrender on the very same date in connection with the crime No.312 of 2018 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Maharajan  
For Respondents : Mr.K.Suyambulinga Bharathi  
No. 1 & 2 Government Advocate (Crl.side)

**ORDER**

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 second and fourth 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 II Additional District and Sessions Judge/ PCR Court, Tirunelveli, Tirunelveli District, shall deal with the matter on the same day on merits and in



accordance with law, after issuing notice to the victims under Sections 147, 294(b), 506(ii) of IPC and Section 3(1)(r), 3(1)(s), 3(2)(va) of SC/ST Act (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Act, 2015. Insofar the petitioners 1, 3, and 5 are concerned, petition is dismissed.

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2. This criminal Original Petition is disposed of with the above directions.

Sd/-  
Assistant Registrar (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

To

1. The II Additional District and Sessions Judge  
PCR Court, Tirunelveli, Tirunelveli District
2. The Assistant Superintendent of Police  
Cheranmahadevi  
Tirunelveli District
3. The Inspector of Police  
Munneerpallam Police Station  
Tirunelveli District
4. The Additional Public Prosecutor,  
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,  
Madurai.

+1CC to Mr.V.Maharajan, Advocate, SR.No.78885

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