

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED 08.03.2019

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THE HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

Cr1.O.P.No. 6332 of 2019

01. Prem @ Premkumar
02. Arul
03. Thyagu @ Thiyagarajan
04. Elumalai
05. Balaji
06. Prasanth
07. Ramadoss
08. Seenuvasan
09. Raji Surutai
10. Kuttiappan
11. Senthil
12. Jeeva
13. Hariraman @ Nondai
14. Sathish @ Sathishkumar
15. Raja
16. Rajendran
17. Elumalai
18. Thoppu Nataraj @ Natarajan.... Petitioners

Vs

The Inspector of Police,
E-5 Koovathur Police Station,
Kancheepuram District.
(Crime No.113 of 205)

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, praying to pass an order of direction, to direct the Principal Sessions Judge at Chengalpet, to consider the bail application on the same day merits on the surrender of the Petitioners/Accused in connection with Crime No.113 of 2015 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioners :Mr.L.Ramu

For Respondent :Mr.C.Raghavan
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

O R D E R

This petition is filed for a direction to the Principal Sessions Judge at Chengalpet, to consider the petitioners' bail petition on the same day of their surrender in connection with Crime No.113 of 2015, since the offences are pertaining to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.

2. In view of the specific bar under Section 18 of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 and also taking into consideration of the possibility of misusing the pious intention of the Parliament against innocent persons, there shall be a direction to the Principal Sessions Judge at Chengalpet, to consider the petitioners' bail application, preferably on the same day of their surrender in connection with Crime No.113 of 2015 and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law after affording due opportunity to the victim under Section 15(a) of the SC/ST Act. The petitioners shall surrender before the concerned jurisdictional Court within a period of fifteen days from the date of the receipt of a copy of this Order.

3. In view of the above, the Criminal Original Petition stands allowed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Principal Sessions Judge,
Chengalpet.
2. The Inspector of Police,
E-5 Koovathur Police Station,
Kancheepuram District.
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+1 cc to Mr.L.Ramu, Advocate, S.R.No.22366

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