

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 14.06.2019

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

Cr1.O.P.No.15248 of 2019

Gopi @ Manikandan

...Petitioner

Vs.

State by the Inspector of Police
All Women Police Station
Namakkal.
Crime No.3 of 2019

...Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C., to direct the Principal Sessions Court, (Special Judge for SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities Act), Namakkal to consider and dispose of the bail application of the petitioner on merits in connection with the case in Crime No.3 of 2019 on the file of the Inspector of Police, All Women Police Station, Namakkal on the same date of his surrender.

For Petitioner: Mr.R.Arundattan

For Respondent: Mr.M.Mohamed Riyaz
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This petition has been filed seeking a direction, directing the Principal Sessions Special Judge, SC & ST Cases, Namakkal District to consider the bail application filed by the petitioner on his surrender in connection with Crime No.3 of 2019 on the file of the respondent on the same day.

2.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 petitioner is 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 Special Judge shall deal with the matter on the same day on merits and in accordance with law, after issuing notice to the victims under Section 15 (A) of the SC/ST Act.

3. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of with the above directions.

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Assistant Registrar(CS V)

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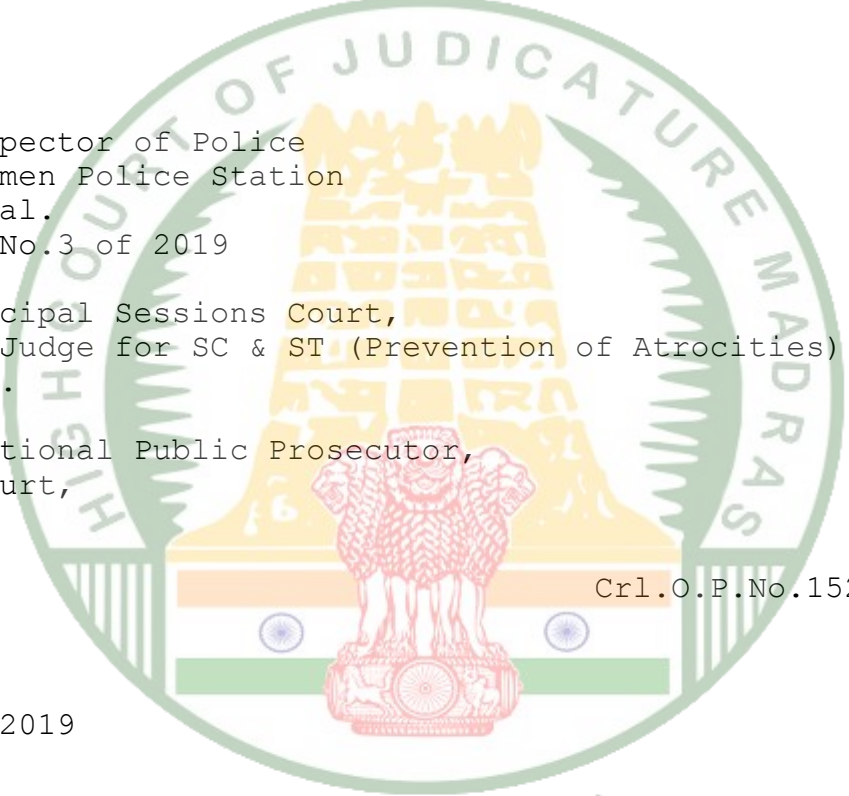
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To

1. The Inspector of Police
All Women Police Station
Namakkal.
Crime No.3 of 2019
- 2.The Principal Sessions Court,
Special Judge for SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities)
Namakkal.
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
High Court,
Madras.

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