



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 27.04.2019

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE. N. SESHASAYEE

Crl.O.P.[MD].No.6161 of 2019

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A.Navaneethan @ Navaneethakrishnan : Petitioner/Accused Rank A1
/Vs./

1.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Samayanallur Division, Madurai District. :1st Respondent

2.The State represented by
The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Vadipatti Police Station, Madurai District.
(Crime No.167 of 2019) :2nd Respondent/Complainant

3.R.Saravanan :3rd Respondent/Defacto Complainant

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C., to direct the learned III Additional District & Sessions Judge (PCR Court), Madurai District, to consider the bail application of the petitioner on the same day on merits in the event of their surrender in connection with Crime No.167 of 2019 on the file of the respondent.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Saravanakumar
For R-1 and R-2 : Mr.V.Neelakandan
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This petition has been filed to direct the learned III Additional District & Sessions Judge (PCR Court), Madurai District, to consider the bail application of the petitioners on the same day on merits in the event of their surrender in connection with Crime No.167 of 2019 on the file of the respondent.

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 ten days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and on such surrender, the III Additional District & Sessions Judge (PCR Court), Madurai District, 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. However, the petitioner is directed to take private notice to the victims intimating the date of his surrender.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

To

- 1.The III Additional District & Sessions Judge (PCR Court),
Madurai District.
- 2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Samayanallur Division, Madurai District.
- 3.The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Vadipatti Police Station, Madurai District.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

+1 CC to M/s.R.SARAVANA KUMAR, Advocate
(SR-63688[F] dated 29/04/2019)

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