



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 08.11.2019

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

CRL.O.P (MD) No.16188 of 2019

1. Murugaiah

2. Chezlan @ Esakkimuthu

... Petitioners

Vs

1.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Sub Division, Puliyangudi Police Station
Tirunelveli District

2.The Inspector of Police
Sivagiri Police Station
Tirunelveli District

3.Mahendran

... Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, praying to direct the District Sessions Court, (SC/ST (POA) Act), Tirunelveli to consider the surrender and Bail application filed by the petitioners in Crime No.480 of 2019 dated 31.10.2019

For Petitioners : Mr.R.Krishnan

For Respondents : Mr.K.Suyambulinga Bharathi,
G.A. (Crl. Side) for RR1 and 2

O R D E R

This petition is filed for a direction to direct the District Sessions Court, (SC/ST (POA) Act), Tirunelveli District, to consider the bail petition of the petitioners on the same day of surrender and dispose the same on merits and in accordance with law in crime No.480 of 2019 on the file of the 2nd respondent.

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 the possibility of misusing the pious intention of the Parliament against innocent persons, there shall be a direction to the District Sessions Court, (SC/ST (POA) Act), Tirunelveli, to consider the petitioners bail application, preferably on the same day of their surrender in connection with Crime No. 480 of 2019 on the file of the 2nd respondent 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.

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Assistant Registrar (CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

- 1.The District Sessions Court, (SC/ST (POA) Act), Tirunelveli
- 2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Sub Division, Puliayangudi Police Station
Tirunelveli District
- 3.The Inspector of Police
Sivagiri Police Station
Tirunelveli District
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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