

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED:22.07.2020

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

CRL.O.P.No.10919 of 2020

Kalaimani, M/40
S/o.Verrasamy
No.4/443, Bajanaai Kovil Street
Panaiyur Village
Arani Taluk
Tiruvannamalai District. Petitioner/Accused

Vs

1. State by
The Inspector of Police,
Arani Taluk Police Station,
Arani
Tiruvannamalai District
2. K.Anjali, 44/F
W/o.Kuppusamy
Road Street, Panniyur Colony
Arani Taluk
Tiruvannamalai District. Respondents/Complainant &
Defacto Complainant

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, praying to direct the learned District and Sessions Judge, Tiruvannamalai to accept the surrender petition in Crime No.2178/2020 on the file of the Arani Taluk Police Station, Arani and to consider the bail petition of the petitioner on the same day.

For Petitioner : Mr. J.Pavithra

For Respondent : Mr.S.Karthikeyan,
Additional Public Prosecutor.

O R D E R

This petition is filed seeking for a direction to the District and Sessions Judge, Tiruvannamalai to consider the bail application of the petitioner on the same day of his surrender in connection with Crime No.2178 of 2020 on the file of the 1st

Respondent herein, 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 District and Sessions Judge, Tiruvannamalai, to consider the petitioner's bail application, preferably on the same day of his surrender in connection with Crime No. 2178 of 2020 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 petitioner 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.

s/d-

Assistant Registrar (CS VI)

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To

1. The District and Sessions Judge, Tiruvannamalai
2. The Inspector of Police,
Arani Taluk Police Station
Arani
3. The Public Prosecutor, High Court, Madras.

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