

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 12.02.2020

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

Crl.O.P.Nos.20689 & 20690 of 2014
and
MP.Nos.1 & 1 of 2014

K.Arumugam,
General Manager,
M/s.Dharani Sugars & Chemicals Ltd.,
having office at,
Unit-3, Kalayanallur,
Sankarapuram Taluk,
Villupuram.

... Petitioner in both Crl.O.Ps/Accused

Vs.

The State rep.by,
Deputy Director,
Industrial Safety & Health,
Villupuram.

... Respondent in both Crl.O.Ps./Complainant

Common Prayer:

Petitions filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C., seeking to call for the records in C.C.Nos. 8 & 9 of 2014 on the file of the Learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Villupuram and quash the same.

For Petitioner : M/s.P.T.Ramadevi in both Crl.O.Ps.

For Respondent : Mr.C.Iyyaparaj
Additional Public Prosecutor
in both Crl.O.P.s

C O M M O N O R D E R

These criminal original petitions have been filed seeking to call for the records in C.C.Nos. 8 & 9 of 2014 on the file of the Learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Villupuram and quash the same.

2.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that without going into the merits of the case, it would suffice, if this Court issues direction to the Trial Court to expedite the trial and complete the same as early as possible. He would further submit that the appearance of the petitioner before the Trial Court may be dispensed with and would further submit that the petitioner is ready to appear as and when necessary arise.

3.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent concede to the request made by the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner.

4.In view of the above, this Court directs the learned Learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Villupuram, to expedite the trial in C.C.Nos. 8 & 9 of 2014 and complete the same as early as possible. The appearance of the petitioner before the Trial Court is dispensed with. However, this order will not stand on the way of the Trial Court to insist for the appearance of the petitioner for receiving copies under Section 207 of Cr.P.C., framing of charges, questioning under Section 313 of Cr.P.C. and judgment and as and when the Trial Court feels it necessary.

5.With the above directions, these criminal original petitions are disposed of. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS IV)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1.The learned Chief Judicial Magistrate,
Villupuram,

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras,
Chennai 600 104.

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