



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 21.05.2020

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

Crl.O.P (MD)No.5434 of 2020

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Sanmugasundaram

... Petitioner /Accused No.2

Vs

1.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Musiri,
Trichy District.

... 1st Respondent/Investigation
Officer

2.The Inspector of Police,
Musiri Police Station,
Trichy District.

... 2nd Respondent/Complainant

3.Vijaya

... 3rd Respondent/Defacto complainant

PRAYER: Petition filed under Section 482 Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the 1st Additional Sessions Judge (Special Court for SC/ST Act Cases, PCR), Trichy to consider the bail application of the petitioner in Cr.No.1065 of 2020 on the same date of surrender and dispose of the same on its merits and in accordance with law.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Maheswaran

For R1 & R2 : Mr.A.Robinson
Government Advocate (Crl.side)

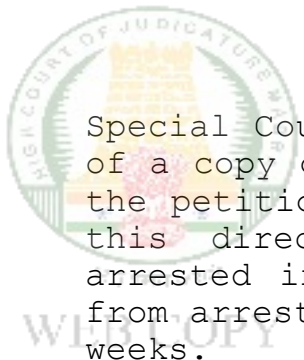
ORDER

The petitioner is shown as accused No.2 in Crime No.1065 of 2020 registered on the file of the Inspector of Police, Musiri Police Station, Trichy District, for the offences under Sections 294 (b), 506(i) of IPC r/w Sections 3(1)(r), 3(1)(s), 3(2)(va) of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities Amendment) Act, 1989.

2.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner reiterated the contentions set out in the original petition.

3.Considering the present times, notice to the third respondent is dispensed with.

4.I am of the view that interest of justice will be served by permitting the petitioner to surrender before the jurisdictional



Special Court within period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. The learned Special Judge will dispose of the petitioner's bail petition on the same day of surrender. Since this direction will become infructuous, if the petitioner is arrested in the meanwhile, the respondents 1 and 2 are restrained from arresting the petitioner till the expiry of the period of eight weeks.

5. This Criminal Original Petition is allowed on these terms.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CRL SIDE)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

- 1.The Additional Sessions (Special Court for SC/ST Act Cases, PCR), Trichy
- 2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Musiri,
Trichy District.
- 3.The Inspector of Police,
Musiri Police Station,
Trichy District.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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