



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **20.08.2020**

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **R.PONGIAPPAN**

CrI.O.P.(MD)No.8703 of 2020

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1.Duraipandi
2.Madhan @ Madhanraja
3.Muthumani ...Petitioners/Accused No.2, 3 and 5

Vs.

1.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Usilampatty,
Madurai District.

2.State represented through
The Sub Inspector of Police,
Usilampatty Town Police Station,
Madurai District.

(Crime No.1888 of 2020) ... 1st and 2nd respondent/
Complainant

3.Pothiraja ... 3rd Respondent/De facto
Complainant

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, to direct the learned III Additional District and Sessions Judge, (Special Court for SC/ST (P&A) Act cases), Madurai, to consider the petitioners bail application on the date of their surrender in respect of Crime No.1888 of 2020 on the file of the second respondent police.

For Petitioners : Mr.D.Sadiq Raja
For Respondents : Mr.A.P.G.Ohm Chairma Prabhu,
Government Advocate

O R D E R

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 petitioners are directed to surrender before the trial Court within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and on such surrender, the learned III Additional District and Sessions Judge, (Special Court for SC/ST (P&A) Act cases), Madurai, shall deal and dispose the matter on the same day on merits and in accordance



with law.

2.In due compliance of Section 15-A of the SC/ST Act, the petitioners shall serve advance notice of surrender and bail two clear days before the intended date of surrender enclosing additional copies on the Special Public Prosecutor of the concerned Court and the Special Public Prosecutor shall intimate it to the defacto complainant through the respondent police.

3.This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of with the above directions.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (Crl.Side)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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Note : In view of the present lock down owing to COVID-19 pandemic, a web copy of the order may be utilized for official purposes, but, ensuring that the copy of the order that is presented is the correct copy, shall be the responsibility of the advocate/litigant concerned.

To

- 1.The III Additional District and Sessions Judge,
(Special Court for SC/ST (P&A) Act cases),
Madurai.
- 2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Usilampatty,
Madurai District.
- 3.The Sub Inspector of Police,
Usilampatty Town Police Station,
Madurai District.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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