



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **01.09.2020**

CORAM:

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

Crl.O.P. (MD)No.9151 of 2020

Thiagarajan : Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs.

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

2. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Melavalavu Police Station,
Melur,
Madurai District.

: Respondent 1&2/Complainant

(Crime No.950 of 2020)

3.Chinnapuliyar : Respondent/De-facto Complainant

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, to direct the Additional District Court No.III for PCR Act cases, Madurai District, to consider the petitioner's bail application on merits on the date of surrender i.e., on the same day in Crime No.950 of 2020 on the file of the Sub Inspector of Police, Melavalavu Police Station, Madurai District.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Ramsundarvijayaraj

For R-1 and R-2 : Mr.R.Erottuchamy

Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

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 petitioner is 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 Additional District Judge No.III for PCR Act cases, Madurai District, 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 petitioner 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 (CS-III)

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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 Additional District Judge No.III for PCR Act cases, Madurai District.
2. The Deputy Superintendent of Police, Melur, Madurai District.
3. The Sub Inspector of Police, Melavalavu Police Station, Melur, Madurai District.
4. The Additional Public Prosecutor, Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

+1 CC to M/s.VEERA ASSOCIATES, Advocate SR-15501.

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