

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
DATED :30.04.2021
CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.NIRMAL KUMAR

CRL.O.P.No.8185 of 2021

1.Valai Selvam
2.Raghuraman
3.Annadurai
4.Senthil
5.Arumugam
6.Hema @ Hemalatha ... Petitioners/ Accused

Versus

State Rep by
The Inspector of Police,
Velur Police Station,
Namakkal District. ... Respondent/Complainant
(Crime No.352 of 2021)

Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the learned Sessions Judge, Special Court for Exclusive Trial the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Act cases, Namakkal, to consider the bail petition of the petitioners/accused on the same day in the event of surrender by the petitioners/accused and grant bail in Crime No.352 of 2021 on the file of the respondent/police pending investigation.

For Petitioners: Mr.G.Anbuchezeian

For Respondent : Mr.M.Mohamed Riyaz,
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction, to direct the learned Sessions Judge, Special Court for Exclusive Trial the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Act cases, Namakkal, to consider the bail application of the petitioners on the same day of his surrender in Crime No.352 of 2021 on the file of the respondent/police pending investigation.

2.In view of the amendments made in the Schedule Castes and the Schedule 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 two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and on such surrender, the

learned Sessions Judge, Special Court for Exclusive Trial the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Act cases, Namakkal, shall deal with the matter on the same day on merits and in accordance with law, after issuing notice to the victims under Section 15(A) of the SC/ST Act.

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

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(co)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1.The learned Sessions Judge, Special Court for Exclusive Trial the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Act cases, Namakkal.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Velur Police Station,
Namakkal District.

3.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+lcc to Mr.G.Anbuchezhian, Advocate SR.No. 26993

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A.SK(09.06.2021)

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