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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 02.07.2021

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.NIRMAL KUMAR

CRL.O.P.NO.11364 OF 2021

Rajesh

... Petitioner

Versus

The State Represented by
The Sub Inspector of Police
Bahour Police Station
Bahour
Puducherry,
Crime No.388/2020

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the Additional District Judge-II, Puducherry to consider the bail application that may be preferred by the petitioner in Crime No.388/2020 dated 20.08.2020 on the file of the respondent police namely the Sub Inspector of Police, Bahour Police Station, Bahour, Puducherry, on the same day of the petitioner surrender.

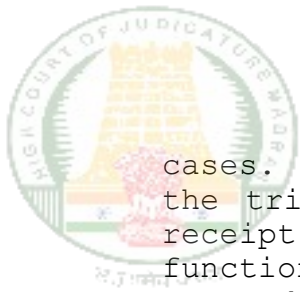
For Petitioner : Mr.E.Anbarasan

For Respondent : Mr.D.Bharatha Chakravarthy
Public Prosecutor (Puducherry)

ORDER

This petition has been filed seeking a direction to direct the Additional District Judge-II, Puducherry to consider the bail application that may be preferred by the petitioner in Crime No.388/2020 dated 20.08.2020 on the file of the respondent police namely the Sub Inspector of Police, Bahour Police Station, Bahour, Puducherry, on the same day of the petitioner surrender.

2. 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 two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order or after commencement of normal functioning of the Court, which ever is later and on such surrender, the learned Additional District Judge No.II, Puducherry, 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 (3) of the SC/ST Act.

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

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Additional District Judge-II, Puducherry.
2. The Sub Inspector of Police
Bahour Police Station
Bahour
Puducherry,
Crime No.388/2020
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+1cc to Mr.E.Anbarasan, Advocate, SR.No.31058

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RLP (02/08/2021)