



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED :12.02.2021

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE Mrs. JUSTICE R. HEMALATHA

Crl.O.P. (MD)No.2212 of 2021

1.P.Kavitha
2.Murali Kannan

... Petitioners

Vs.

1.The State rep., by
The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Samayanallur, Madurai District.

2.The State rep., by
The Inspector of Police,
Nagamalaipudukottai Police Station,
Madurai District.
(In Crime No.18 of 2021)

3.Punitha @ Bhavaneswari

... Respondents

Prayer : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Code of the Criminal Procedure to direct the learned III Additional District and Sessions Judge (PCR Act Cases), Madurai to consider the bail application of the petitioners on the same day of their surrender in Crime No.18 of 2021 on the file of the second respondent police.

For Petitioners : Mr.AK.Azagarsami

For Respondents 1 & 2 : Mr.R.Erottuchamay
Government Advocate
(Criminal side)

ORDER

The petitioners are the accused 1 & 3 in Crime No.18 of 2021 of Nagamalaipudukottai Police Station, Madurai District and the offences alleged against the accused are under Sections 294(b), 323, 343 and 506(i) of Indian Penal Code and Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Prevention of Harassment of Women Act read with Sections 3(1)(r), 3(1)(s) and 3(2)(va) of the Schedule Caste and Schedule Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Act, 2015.



2.The present petition filed by the petitioners is to direct the learned III Additional District Judge (PCR Act Cases), Madurai to accept the surrender of the petitioners and also to consider the bail application on the same day.

3.Mr.R.Erottuchamy, learned Government Advocate (Criminal side), accepts notice for the respondents 1 and 2. The third respondent is the de-facto complainant.

4.Since the prayer itself is to accept the surrender of the petitioners and consider the bail application, this Court is inclined to pass the following orders :-

1) The petitioners should appear before the III Additional District Judge (PCR Act Cases), Madurai, within a period of 15 days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order / uploading of the order.

2) On such surrender, the concerned Additional District Judge, may consider the bail application filed by the petitioners on merits, on the same day of surrender, after giving notice to the concerned Public Prosecutor.

5.With the above observation, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CO)

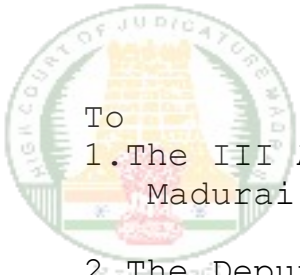
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To

1.The III Additional District Judge (PCR Act Cases),
Madurai.

2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Samayanallur, Madurai District.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Nagamalaipudukottai Police Station,
Madurai District.

4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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