



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : **09.11.2021**

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

Crl.O.P(MD)No.16712 of 2021
and
Crl.M.P(MD)No.9023 of 2021

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... Petitioners/Juvenile Offenders Nos.1 to 6

Vs.

State Rep. by its
The Inspector of Police,
Thirumangalam Taluk Police Station,
Madurai.
(Crime No.248 of 2018)

... Respondent/Complainant

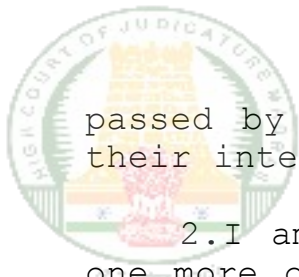
Prayer: This Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C., to call for the records relating to the order passed in Crl.M.P.No.576 of 2020 dated 10.11.2020 in J.C.No.80 of 2019 on the file of the Juvenile Justice Board, Madurai and after hearing the side of the Petitioners/Juvenile Offenders No.1 to 6 shall set aside the same by allowing this petition in the interest of justice.

For Petitioners : Mr.R.Babu Jaganath

For Respondent : Mr.T.Senthil Kumar,
Additional Public Prosecutor.

O R D E R

The petitioners herein are juveniles in conflict with law. The respondent filed Crl.M.P.No. 576 of 2020 in J.C.No.80 of 2019, on the file of the Juvenile Justice Board, Madurai for recall and cross-examination of P.W.1 to P.W.4. The said petition was dismissed by impugned order dated 10.11.2020. Challenging the order, this Criminal Original Petition has been filed. The order



passed by the Juvenile Justice Board is well reasoned and shows their intention to conclude the proceedings expeditiously.

2.I am of the view that the petitioners deserve to be given one more opportunity. Therefore, in the interest of the justice, the impugned order is set aside. The counsel for the petitioners assures this Court as and when the prosecution witnesses are recalled and produced before the Board, they would cross-examine them on the same day of their appearance and that the petitioners will not resort to any delaying tactics.

3.Recording the said undertaking, this Criminal Original Petition is allowed. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-I)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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Note:

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 Juvenile Justice Board,
Madurai.
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Thirumangalam Taluk Police Station,
Madurai.
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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