



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 01.03.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

CRL.O.P (MD) No.3970 of 2022

1. Muthu @ Muthukumar

2. Ashok @ Ashokkumar

3. Saravanan

4. Mutuvelautham @ Velayutham

5. Veeranan

... Petitioners/Accused 1&3 to 6

Vs

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

2. The Inspector of Police
Perungudi Police Station
Madurai District

...1 & 2 Respondents/Complainants

(*) 3. Muthuvel

...3rd Respondent/Defacto Complainant

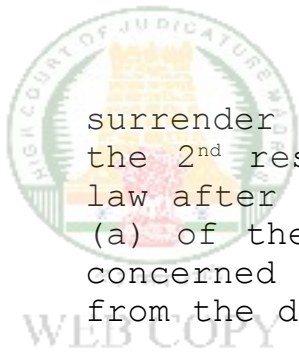
PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, praying to direct the III Additional District & Sessions Court for the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes(Prevention of Atrocities) Act at Madurai to consider the bail application on the same day on merits in accordance with law in the event of surrender of the petitioner in connection with Crime No. 178 of 2017 pending on the file of the respondent.

For Petitioners : Mr.V.Manikandan
For Respondents : Mr.B.Thanga Aravindh
No.1 and 2 Government Advocate

O R D E R

This petition is filed for a direction to direct the III Additional District & Sessions Court for the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes(Prevention of Atrocities) Act at Madurai to consider the bail application on the same day on merits in accordance with law in the event of surrender of the petitioner in connection with Crime No. 178 of 2017 pending on the file of the respondent.

2. In view of the specific bar under Section 18 of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 and also taking into consideration the possibility of misusing the pious intention of the Parliament against innocent persons, there shall be a direction to the III Additional District & Sessions Court for the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act at Madurai , to consider the application, preferably on the same day of their



surrender in connection with Crime No. 178 of 2017 on the file of the 2nd respondent and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law after affording due opportunity to the victim under Section 15 (a) of the SC/ST Act. The petitioners shall surrender before the concerned jurisdictional Court within a period of fifteen days from the date of the receipt of a copy of this Order.

3. In view of the above, the Criminal Original Petition stands allowed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

**(*)Corrected as per the order of this Court
dated 07.03.2022 made in CRL OP(MD).3970 of 2022**

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

(*)To be substituted to the order already despatched on 02.03.2022

1. The III Additional District & Sessions Court
for the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled
Tribes(Prevention of Atrocities) Act at Madurai.
2. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Tirumangalam,
Madurai District.
3. The Inspector of Police
Perungudi Police Station
Madurai District
4. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

+1 CC to M/s.V.MANIKANDAN, Advocate (SR-9344[F] dated
01/03/2022)

Order made in
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