



Criminal Original Petition No.14647 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 04.07.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

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Utthirakumar
S/o.Sivakumar

...Petitioner

Vs

1.State represented by
The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Tiruvannamalai Taluk,
Tiruvannamalai District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Vettavalam Police Station,
Tiruvannamalai District.
Crime No.189 of 2023

... Respondents

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, praying to direct the Principal Sessions Court for SC/ST Act, Tiruvannamalai District, to consider the bail application of the petitioner on the same day on merits in the event of his surrender in connection with Crime No.189 of 2023 on the file of the respondent.



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For Petitioner : Mr.K.Kannan
For Respondents : Mr.A.Damodaran
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This petition has been filed seeking a direction to the Principal Sessions Court for SC/ST Act, Tiruvannamalai District, to accept the surrender of the petitioner herein concerned in Crime No. 189 of 2023 on the file of respondent and consider the bail petition on the same day itself.

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 (2) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and on such surrender, the Principal Sessions Court for SC/ST Act, Tiruvannamalai District, 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.

This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of with the above



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direction.

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Note to office:

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Index : Yes/No

Speaking order: Yes/No

Neutral citation: Yes/No

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To

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Tiruvannamalai District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Vettavalam Police Station,
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3.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

N.ANAND VENKATESH, J



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