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Crl.O.P.No.17484 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 04.08.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

Crl.O.P.No.17484 of 2023

Vijayakumar

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The State Rep. by
Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Villupuram,
Villupuram District.

2. The State Rep. by
Inspector of Police,
Vanur Police Station,
Villuppuram District.
Crime No.164 of 2023.

3. M.Devan

.. Respondents

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the learned Principal District and Sessions Judge / Special Courts for SC/ST Cases, Villupuram to consider the bail application of the petitioner herein on the same day of his surrender



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pertaining to the Crime No.164 of 2023 on the file of the Vanur Police
Station, Villuipuram District.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Rohini

For Respondent Nos.1 & 2 : Mr.A.Damodaran
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This petition has been filed seeking a direction, to direct the Principal District and Sessions Judge / Special Courts for SC/ST Cases, Villupuram to accept the surrender of the petitioner herein and consider the bail petition concerned in Crime No.164 of 2023 on the file of the respondent police.

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 petitioners are directed to surrender before the trial Court within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and on such surrender, the Principal



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District and Sessions Judge / Special Courts for SC/ST Cases, Villupuram,

Villupuram 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.

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

04.08.2023

Index : Yes/No
Speaking order: Yes/No
Neutral citation: Yes/No
SSR

Note: Issue Order Copy on 07.08.2023

To

1. The learned Principal District and Sessions Judge / Special Courts for SC/ST Cases, Villupuram
2. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Villupuram,
Villupuram District.
3. The Inspector of Police,
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4. The Public Prosecutor
High Court of Madras,
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