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Criminal Original Petition No.4984 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 08.03.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

Criminal Original Petition No.4984 of 2024

S.Pawankumar
S/o.Shanthilal Jain

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Additional Superintendent of Police,
Economic Offences Wing-II,
Police Training College Campus,
Ashok Nagar, Chennai - 600 083.

2.The Branch Manager,
City Union Bank,
No.246, New Military Road,
Avadi, Chennai - 600 054.

3.The Branch Manager,
Indian Overseas Bank,
No.C7, Old Agraharam Street,
TNHB, Avadi, Chennai - 600 054.

... Respondents

Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure praying to direct the first respondent to defreeze the account bearing Current A/c No.510909010000862 in City Union Bank, Avadi Branch, Chennai and Indian Overseas Bank bearing Saving Bank A/c No.000801000024148, Avadi Branch, Chennai, of the petitioner maintained with the second respondent and third respondent as detailed above.



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For Petitioner : Mr.S.Marimuthu

For Respondents : Mr.A.Damodaran
Additional Public Prosecutor [R1]

ORDER

This petition has been filed seeking for a direction to the first respondent to defreeze the account bearing Current A/c No.510909010000862 in City Union Bank, Avadi Branch, Chennai and Indian Overseas Bank bearing Saving Bank A/c No.000801000024148, Avadi Branch, Chennai, of the petitioner maintained with the second respondent and third respondent.

2. Heard Mr.S.Marimuthu, learned counsel for petitioner and Mr.A.Damodaran, learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for first respondent.

3. When the matter was taken up for hearing, learned Additional Public Prosecutor, on instructions, submitted that the bank account of the petitioner was freezed on 15.02.2024 and the same was intimated to the Special Court under TNPID Act, Chennai, on the very same day.



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4. In the light of the above submission, the mandate under Section 102 Cr.P.C. has been complied with. Therefore, this Court cannot pass any further orders. It is left open to the petitioner to approach the Court below and seek for defreezing his bank account.

This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of in the above terms.

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Speaking Order/Non-speaking Order

Index : Yes/No

Neutral citation: Yes/No

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To

1.The Special Court under TNPID Act, Chennai.

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3.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.



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