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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 13.03.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

CrI.O.P. No.6144 of 2024
and CrI.M.P. Nos.4481 & 4482 of 2024

Ramesh

...Petitioner

Vs

The State Rep. by
The Forest Range Officer,
Namakkal.

... Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to call for the entire records in pursuant to the C.C.No.115 of 2023 on the file of Metropolitan Magistrate- Thiruchengode, and quash the entire proceedings against the petitioner herein in C.C.No.115 of 2023 on the file of the Metropolitan Magistrate- Thiruchengode.

For Petitioners : Mr.M.Roshini

For Respondents : Mr.A.Damodaran
Additional Public Prosecutor



circumstances of the case, the presence of the petitioner is dispensed with and he shall be represented by a counsel, who shall cross examine the witnesses on the same day, they are examined in Chief. The petitioner shall be present before the Court below at the time of initial questioning under Section 251 of Cr.P.C., at the time of framing of charges and answering the charges and at the time of questioning under Section 313 Cr.P.C., at the time of passing of the final judgement and as and when required by the Court below. The petitioner shall appear before the concerned Court and execute a bond under Section 88 Cr.P.C..

4. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of with a direction to the Court below to complete the proceedings in C.C.No.115 of 2023, as expeditiously as possible. The trial shall be conducted on a day to day basis in accordance with the guidelines given by Hon'ble Supreme Court reported in *Vinod Kumar Vs State of Punjab [2015 (1) MLJ (Crl) 288 SC]*. If the petitioner adopts any dilatory tactics, it is open to the trial Court to insist upon the presence of the petitioner and remand him to custody as per the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in **STATE OF UTTAR PRADESH VS.**



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N.ANAND VENKATESH, J

SSR

SHAMBHU NATH SINGH (JT 2001 (4) SC 3191). Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are also closed.

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

- 1.The Metropolitan Magistrate- Thiruchengode.
- 2.The Forest Range Officer,
Namakkal.
- 3.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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