



Crl.MP.No.4879 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 04.07.2024

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE **MR.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI**

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in

Crl.A.No.276 of 2023

Poorna Chandra Pangi

...Petitioner

Vs.

The Inspector of Police,
Rep. by State NIB CID,
Chennai.
(Crime No.94 of 2019)

...Respondent

Criminal Miscellaneous Petition filed under Section 389(1) of Criminal Procedure Code to suspend the sentence of imprisonment being 10 years rigorous imprisonment imposed in CC.No.65 of 2020 by the learned I Additional Special Court for Exclusive Trial of Cases under the NDPS Act, Chennai and enlarge the petitioner on bail pending disposal of the above criminal appeal No.276 of 2023.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.K.Sathiamurthy

For Respondent : Mrs.G.V.Kasthuri,
Addl. Public Prosecutor



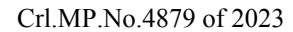
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ORDER

This Criminal Miscellaneous petition has been filed under Section 389(1) of Cr.P.C to suspend the sentence of imprisonment imposed on the petitioner in CC.No.65 of 2020 on the file of the I Additional Special Court for Exclusive Trial of Cases under the NDPS Act, Chennai, vide judgment dated 23.01.2023.

2. The petitioner/appellant was convicted for the offence under Section 8(c) r/w 20(b)(ii)(C) of the NDPS Act and was sentenced to undergo 10 years of rigorous imprisonment and was ordered to pay a fine of Rs.1,00,000/- and in default of payment of fine, to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a further period of six months, vide order dated 23.01.2023 made in CC.No.65 of 2020. Aggrieved by the same, the above appeal has been filed along with this petition seeking suspension of sentence.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that, the petitioner is innocent and he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that,





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Thousand only) with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned I Additional Special Court for Exclusive Trial of Cases under the NDPS Act, Chennai and on further condition that the petitioner shall appear before the respondent police at 10.30 a.m. on the first working day of every English Calendar month and before the said Court at 10.30 a.m. on the last working day of every English Calendar month, pending appeal.

7. This criminal miscellaneous petition is ordered accordingly.

04.07.2024

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To:

1. The I Additional Special Court for Exclusive Trial of Cases under the NDPS Act, Chennai.
2. The Public Prosecutor,
Madras High Court.
3. The Inspector of Police,
NIB CID, Chennai.
4. The Central Prison, Puzhal-I, Chennai.

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M.DHANDAPANI, J.

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