



Crl.O.P.No.28741 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 02.1.2024

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THE HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

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D.Manikandan

...Petitioner

Vs.

1.The State rep.by
the Inspector of Police,
Madhavaram Police Station,
Madhavaram, Chennai-60.

2.Priyadarshini

...Respondents

Criminal Original Petition under Section 482 of the Criminal Procedure Code praying to direct the learned Principal District and Sessions Judge Tiruvalur to accept the surrender of the petitioner in Crime No.87 of 2023 on the file of the first respondent and to consider and pass orders on the bail application filed by the petitioner on the same day in Crime No.87 of 2023 pending on the file of the first respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Munuswamy
For Respondent-1: Mr.A.Damodaran, APP



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ORDER

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This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking to direct the Special Court for Trial of Cases under the SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, Tiruvallur to consider the bail application to be filed by the petitioner on the date of his surrender in Crime No.87 of 2023 on the file of the first respondent on the same day.

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 weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and on such surrender, the learned Special Judge shall deal with the matter on the same day on merits and in accordance with law, after issuing notice to the victim under Section 15 (A) of the



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SC/ST Act.

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

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Note : Issue on 03.1.2024

Index : Yes/No
Speaking Order : Yes/No

To

- 1.The Principal District & Sessions Court/Special Court for Trial of Cases under the SC/ST (PoA) Act, Tiruvallur.
- 2.The Inspector of Police, Madhavaram Police Station, Madhavaram, Chennai-60.
- 3.The Public Prosecutor, High Court, Madras.

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