



Crl.A.(MD).No.512 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 03.07.2024

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA
AND
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.RAJASEKAR**

Crl.A.(MD).No.512 of 2023
and
Crl.M.P.(MD).No.9828 of 2023

Marudhuveeran alias Maduraiveeran

... Appellant/
Sole Accused

Vs.

State through
The Inspector of Police,
All Women Police Station,
Aruppukottai,
Virudhunagar District.
(In Crime No.01/2022)

.. Respondent/Complainant

PRAYER: Criminal Appeal filed under Section 374 of Criminal Procedure Code, to call for the entire records connected with the judgment rendered by the learned Sessions Judge, Special Court for POCSO Act Cases, Virudhunagar District at Srivilliputtur in Special S.C.No.40 of 2022 on 21.12.2022 and set aside the same and consequently acquit the appellant.



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For Appellant : Mr.R.Prakash

For Respondent : Mr.R.Meenakshi Sundaram
Additional Public Prosecutor

JUDGMENT

(Judgment of the Court was made by A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA,J.)

When the matter was taken up for hearing today, the learned counsel for the appellant would submit that the appellant, while he was undergoing treatment for Carcinoma Esophagus at Government Rajaji Hospital, Madurai, had passed away on 09.10.2023.

2. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor has produced a copy of the letter dated 13.10.2023 sent by the Superintendent of Prisons, Central Prison, Madurai to the Secretary to Government, Home (Prisons) Department, Chennai, confirming that the appellant had passed away on 09.10.2023 at Government Rajaji Hospital, Madurai.



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3. In view of the above, this Criminal Appeal is dismissed as abated.

Consequently connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

(A.D.J.C.,J.) (K.R.S.,J.)
03.07.2024

NCC : Yes / No
Index : Yes / No
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To

- 1.The Sessions Judge,
Special Court for POCSO Act Cases,
Virudhunagar District at Srivilliputtur.
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
All Women Police Station,
Aruppukottai,
Virudhunagar District.
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.
- 4.The Record Keeper,
Vernacular Records Section,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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