



CRL MP(MD) No.8802 of 2024

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Thursday, the Twenty Ninth day of August Two Thousand and Twenty Four
PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice K.MURALI SHANKAR
CRL MP(MD) No.8802 of 2024
in
CRL OP(MD) No.14195 of 2024

S.RAMACHANDRAN

... PETITIONER/SOLE ACCUSED

Vs

THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL SAFETY AND HEALTH,
PUDUKOTTAI.

... RESPONDENT/COMPLAINANT

Criminal Miscellaneous Petition filed praying that in the circumstances stated therein and in the petition filed therewith the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the personal appearance of the petitioner in the impugned proceedings in CC No.116/2023 on the file of the Learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Pudukkottai District pending disposal of above quash petition.

Prayer in CRL OP(MD). 14195/ 2024 :

To call for the records and quash the impugned proceedings in CC No.116/2023 on the file of the Learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Pudukkottai District as illegal.

Order : This Criminal Miscellaneous Petition coming up for orders on this day, upon perusing the petition filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of MR.M.RAJARAJAN, Advocate for the petitioner and of MR.K.SANJAI GANDHI, Government Advocate (Crl.Side) on behalf of the Respondent, the court made the following order:-

Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent.

2.Considering the facts and circumstances, the personal appearance of the

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petitioner before the trial Court is ordered to be dispensed with, on conditions that he shall appear at the time of initial questioning, proceedings under Section 313 of Cr.P.C., and at the time of passing judgment and on all the hearings, specifically directed by the trial court. The petitioner is further directed to give an undertaking in the form of affidavit that he will be duly represented by a counsel on all hearing dates and that the counsel representing him will cross examine the prosecution witnesses on the same day they are examined in chief. The petitioner shall not dispute the identity of the witnesses. The petitioner shall appear before the Court in the event his presence is insisted by the trial judge for the purpose of identification. If the petitioner adopts any dilatorial tactics, it is open to the Trial Court to insist for his appearance and deal with the petitioner in accordance with the judgment of Supreme Court of India, in State of Uttar Pradesh Vs. Shambunath Singh, reported in 2001 (4) SCC 667.

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1 THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, PUDUKOTTAI.

2 THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR,
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL SAFETY AND HEALTH, PUDUKOTTAI.

3 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

ORDER

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