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Crl.O.P.No.13515 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 30.04.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

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1. Nandhini
2. Vishnupriya
3. Saravanan

... Petitioners

Vs

1. State Rep. by
The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Ranipet Range,
Ranipet District.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Kalavai Police Station,
Ranipet District.

... Respondents

Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 of B.N.S.S., to direct the learned Principal Sessions Judge at Ranipet to consider the bail petition to be filed by the petitioners on the same day as that on which they surrender before that Court in connection with Crime No.80 of 2025 on the file of the second respondent Police.

For Petitioners : Mr.S.Amarnath



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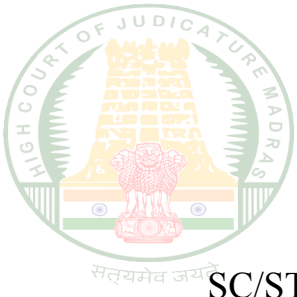
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For Respondents : Mr.A.Gopinath,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

This petition is filed for a direction to the learned Principal Sessions Judge at Ranipet, to consider the petitioners' bail petition on the same day of their surrender in connection with Crime No.80 of 2025, since the offences are pertaining to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.

2. In view of the specific bar under Section 18 of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 and also taking into consideration of the possibility of misusing the pious intention of the Parliament against innocent persons, there shall be a direction to the learned Principal Sessions Judge at Ranipet, to consider the petitioners' bail application, preferably on the same day of their surrender in connection with Crime No. 80 of 2025 and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law, after affording due opportunity to the victim under Section 15(a) of the



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SC/ST Act. The petitioners shall surrender before the concerned jurisdictional Court within a period of fifteen days from the date of the receipt of a copy of this Order.

3. It is needless to say that the Court below while disposing the bail petition shall look into the gravity of the offence, previous antecedents of the petitioners and pass orders. Mere direction issued by this Court to consider the bail petition on the same day does not amount to consider it favourably.

4. With the above direction, the Criminal Original Petition stands disposed of.

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 2. The Inspector of Police,
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 3. The Principal Sessions Judge, Ranipet.
 4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.



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