



CrI.O.P(MD)No.6826 of 2025

**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT**

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**DATED : 16.04.2025**

**CORAM**

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P. DHANABAL**

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Sanjay

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The State of Tamilnadu,  
Reb by the Deputy Superintendent of Police,  
Maanamadurai Sub Division,  
Maanamadurai,  
Sivagangai District..

2. The State of Tamilnadu,  
Reb by Inspector of Police,  
Thirupachethi Police Station,  
Sivagangai District.

3. Karuppuchamy

... Respondents

**PRAYER:** Criminal Original petition has been filed under Section 528 of BNSS to direct the learned Special Judge for Trial of cases under SC/ST (POA) Act, Sivagangai to dispose the bail application to be filed by the Petitioners on merits on the same day of their surrender before the above mentioned court in pending investigation of Crime No.36 of 2025 file of the Respondent Police.



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For Petitioner : Mr. R.Boopathi

For Respondents : Mr.M.Sakthi Kumar (R1-R2)

Government Advocate (CrI.Side)

## **ORDER**

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed to direct the learned Special Judge (Special Court Constituted under Schedule Caste and the Scheduled Tribes Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989), Sivagangai to accept the surrender of the petitioner and consider his bail application on the same day on merits in relating to Crime No. 36 of 2025 on the file of the second respondent police.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, the learned Government Advocate (CrI.Side) appearing for the respondents police and perused the materials available on record.

3. 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 the limited prayer and the facts and circumstances of the case, there shall be a direction to the learned ***Special Judge for Trial***



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*of cases under SC/ST (POA) Act, Sivagangai* to consider the petitioner bail application, preferably on the same day of his surrender in connection with Crime No.36 of 2025 on the file of the second respondent police and pass appropriate orders, in accordance with law, after affording due opportunity to the victim under Section 15-A of the SC/ST Act. The petitioner 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.

4. 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 petitioner and pass orders on merits and in accordance with law.

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

**16.04.2025**

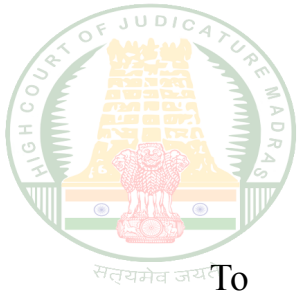
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Maanamadurai Sub Division,  
Maanamadurai,  
Sivagangai District.

3. The Inspector of Police,  
Thirupachethi Police Station,  
Sivagangai District.

4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,  
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



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**P. DHANABAL, J.**

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