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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

Dated : 16.10.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

CRL OP(MD)No.13476 of 2025

Nagasundaram ... Petitioner

Vs

Ansari ... Respondent

PRAYER :- Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 of BNSS, 2023, to direct the learned Judicial Magistrate No.II, Ramanathapuram to expedite the trial in S.T.C.No.2346 of 2022, on the file of the learned Judicial Magistrate No.II, Ramanathapuram within a stipulated time period.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Senthil Murugan

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This petitioner seeks a direction to the learned Judicial Magistrate No.II, Ramanathapuram, to expedite the trial in S.T.C.No.2346 of 2022 and complete the same within a time frame fixed by this Court.

2. The Hon'ble Supreme Court has repeatedly held that time frame cannot be fixed for disposal of the case. It is not in dispute that several older cases are pending before the very same learned Judicial Magistrate.

3. Hence, this Court cannot issue any direction as prayed for. However, considering the fact that the petitioner is aged about 55 years, the learned Judicial Magistrate may consider the expeditious disposal of the case.

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4. With the above directions, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

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To

1.The Judicial Magistrate No.II,
Ramanathapuram.

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

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