



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.14691 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 08.09.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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Ayyanar @ Soundharpandiyan

... Petitioner/A1

Vs.

1.The State of Tamil nadu,
rep., by The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Madurai District.

2.The State rep., by
The Inspector of Police,
Melur Police Station,
Madurai District.
Crime No.359 of 2025

3.Chandrasekar

... Respondents

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 of BNSS, to direct the learned Special Judge (Special Court constituted under Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989), Madurai District to consider the bail application on merits and dispose of the bail application on the same day in the event of their surrender, in Crime No.359 of 2025 on the file of the first respondent.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.M.Arunkumar



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For R-1 & R-2 : Mr.R.M.Anbunithi
Additional Public Prosecutor

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ORDER

The petitioner seeks a direction to the learned Special Judge (Special Court constituted under Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989), Madurai District, to consider his bail application on the same day of his surrender in Crime No.359 of 2025 on the file of the second respondent Police.

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 facts of the case, there shall be a direction to the learned Special Judge (Special Court constituted under Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989), Madurai District, to consider the petitioner's bail application on the same day of his surrender in connection with Crime No.359 of 2025 registered for the offences under Sections 296(b), 118(1), 351(3) of BNS, 2023 and Sections 3(1)(r), 3(1)(s), 3(2)(va) of SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law. It is needless to say that the Court below while disposing the bail petition shall consider the gravity of the offence, previous antecedent of the



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petitioner and pass orders, after affording due opportunity to the victim under

Section 15-A of the SC/ST (POA) Act, 1989.

3. The petitioner shall surrender before the concerned jurisdictional Court, within a period of fifteen (15) days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. The petitioner shall inform in advance the learned Public Prosecutor and the victim of the date of surrender and of the filing of the petition.

4. This Criminal Original Petition is ordered accordingly.

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NCC : Yes / No

Index : Yes / No

Internet : Yes/ No

Rmk

To

1. The Special Judge (Special Court constituted under Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989), Madurai District

2. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Madurai District.

3. The Inspector of Police,
Melur Police Station,
Madurai District.

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



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SUNDER MOHAN, J.

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