



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.17788 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 17.10.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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1.Sekar

2.Rajakumari

... Petitioners/Accused 1 & 2

Vs.

1.The State of Tamil Nadu,
The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Aranthangi,
Pudukottai District.

2.The State of Tamil Nadu rep. by,
The Inspector of Police,
Avudaiyarkoil, Police Station,
Pudukottai District.
(Crime No.134 of 2025)

... Respondents 1 & 2/Complainants

3.Subiramaniyan

... 3rd Respondent/Defacto Complainant

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 of BNSS, 2023, to direct the learned District and Sessions Judge (Special Court for PCR Cases), Pudukkottai to accept the surrender of the petitioners and consider their bail application on the same day on merit relating to Crime No.134 of 2025, dated 09.10.2025.



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For Petitioners : Mr.D.Ramesh Kumar
For R-1 & R-2 : Mr.R.M.Anbunithi
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

The petitioners seek a direction to the learned District and Sessions Judge (Special Court for PCR Cases), Pudukkottai to accept the surrender of the petitioners and consider their bail application on the same day on merits relating to Crime No.134 of 2025 dated 09.10.2025.

2. Since this Court is directing the Court below to consider the bail application after giving notice to the victim, notice to the victim in this case is dispensed with.

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 of the facts of the case, there shall be a direction to the learned District and Sessions Judge (Special Court for PCR Cases), Pudukkottai to consider the petitioners' bail application on the same day of their surrender in connection with Crime No.134 of 2025 registered for the offences under Section 296(b), 351(3) of BNS, 2023, Section 3(1)(r) and 3(1)(s) and 3(2)(va) of SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Act, 2015 and pass appropriate



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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 petitioners and pass orders, after affording due opportunity of hearing to the victim under Section 15-A of the SC/ST (POA) Act, 1989.

4. The petitioners 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 petitioners shall inform in advance the learned Public Prosecutor and the victim of the date of surrender and of the filing of the petition.

5. This Criminal Original Petition is ordered accordingly.

17.10.2025

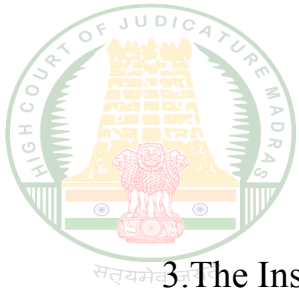
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To

1.The District and Sessions Court
(Special Court for PCR Cases),
Pudukottai.

2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Aranthangi,
Pudukottai District.

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3. The Inspector of Police,
Avudaiyarkoil, Police Station,
Pudukottai District.

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



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