

IN THE COURT OF SESSIONS AT CHENNAI

Present: Tmt. S. Alli, M.L.,

Principal Sessions Judge

Tuesday, the 15th day of November, 2022

Crl.M.P.No.22073/2022

in

R.2, Kodambakkam P.S. Crime No.215/2022

1. Dhamodhar Kumar

2. Pramoth Kumar Modi

.. Petitioners/Accused.

Vs.

State Rep. by

The Inspector of Police,

R.2, Kodambakkam Police Station,

Chennai.

..Respondent/Complainant.

This petition is coming on this day before me for hearing in the presence of M/s. R. Sadasivam, V.S. Mannarsamy, Counsel for the petitioner and of CPP for respondent, and upon hearing them, this Court delivered the following:

ORDER

1. The petitioners, who were arrested on 18.10.2022 for the offences punishable under Section 6(b) r/w 24(1) COTPA Act 2003 and Sec.328 IPC in Crime No.215/2022 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. Heard both sides.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners are innocent. They have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. False case has been foisted on them only for statistical purpose. The petitioners are in custody from 18.10.2022. Hence, prays for granting bail.

4. On the other hand, learned CPP submits that based on the secret information, the respondent police conducted search at the premises bearing No.4/7, Kamarajar Colony, 7th Street, 2nd floor and found that these petitioners indulged in manufacturing Maava, which is a banned tobacco products by the State Government. At the time of inspection, the respondent police seized 6.600 Kg of banned tobacco products and also one grinder from the petitioners. These petitioners also indulged in selling the same near

school and college campus. Investigation is pending. Earlier petition was dismissed on 28.10.2022 and there is no change of circumstances. Hence, he objects the grant of bail.

5. Considering the nature of offence, the seizure of huge quantity of banned tobacco products, the fact that investigation is pending and the objection raised by learned CPP, this court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioners.

6. Petition is dismissed.

Delivered by me today in the open Court.

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