

ITEM NO.103

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Criminal Appeal No(s). 357/2007

RAVI @ RAVIKUMAR ETC.ETC.

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

STATE REP.BY INSPECTOR OF POLICE

Respondent(s)

(with office report)

Date : 31/01/2017 This appeal was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KURIAN JOSEPH
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.M. KHANWILKAR

For Appellant(s) Mr. R. Basant, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Gireesh Kumar, Adv.
Mr. Sriram P, Adv.
Mr. Ankur S. Kulkarni, Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. M. Yogesh Kanna, Adv.
Ms. Nithya, Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

Mr. R. Basant, learned senior counsel appearing for the appellant - Chandran, submits that the other two accused have been released by granting the benefit of commutation and remission under Section 433 Cr.P.C. and Chandran is the only one left since the remaining accused had already been acquitted either by the trial court or by the High Court. It is also submitted that Chandran is, on all counts, similarly placed as the other two accused Ravi and Sreekumar and there is no reason why the same benefit under Section 433 Cr.P.C., as extended to the other accused, be not extended to the appellant-Chandran as well.

The learned counsel for the State seeks two weeks' time to get instruction.

Post on 21.02.2017.

The learned counsel for the State shall also make available the records relating to release of the other two accused and the order, if any, already passed denying the release to the appellant - Chandran.

We make it clear that in case no instruction is forthcoming on that date, the Court is inclined to release the appellant-Chandran also.

(Jayant Kumar Arora)
Court Master

(Renu Diwan)
Assistant Registrar