

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CRIMINAL) Diary No(s). 16884/2020

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 26-11-2018 in CRLA No. 618/2014 passed by the High Court Of Judicature At Madras)

SANKAR @ HARIKRISHNAN

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF TAMIL NADU

Respondent(s)

(IA No.90996/2020-CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING and IA No.90995/2020-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

Date : 08-02-2021 This petition was called on for hearing today.
CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE UDAY UMESH LALIT
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.M. JOSEPH

For Petitioner(s) Mr. T. Mahipal, AOR
For Respondent(s)

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

Mr. T. Mahipal, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner through SCLSC submits that the petitioner has almost completed the substantive sentence of 10 years awarded to him.

It is further submitted that the fine imposed upon the petitioner is to the extent of Rs.25,000/- and the petitioner being a poor person will not be in a position to deposit the fine. Resultantly, the petitioner will have to undergo default sentence of rigorous imprisonment of one year.

Delay condoned.

Issue notice confined to the questions whether default sentence can be reduced or whether the imposition of fine can be substantially reduced, returnable on 05.03.2021.

Dasti in addition.

Liberty to serve the learned Standing counsel for the State.

(INDU MARWAH)
COURT MASTER (SH)

(PRADEEP KUMAR)
BRANCH OFFICER

