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Court : Kerala

Decided On : May-22-2024

Judge : Honourable Mr.Justice P.G. Ajithkumar

Appeal No. : CRL.A/1045/2013

Appellant : Rajeevan

Respondent : STATE

Judgement :

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.G. AJITHKUMAR
WEDNESDAY, THE 22ND DAY OF MAY 2024 / 1ST JYAISHTA, 1946
CRL.A NO. 1045 OF 2013 AGAINST THE JUDGMENT DATED
21.06.2013 IN SC NO.941 OF 2011 OF ADDITIONAL SESSIONS
COURT (ADHOC)-II, KOLLAM APPELLANT: RAJEEVAN @
KUNJUMON S/O. PARAMESWARAN, PANDIPARAMBIL HOUSE,
KORAMBISSERI, IRINGALAKUDA VILLAGE, THRISSUR. BY ADVS.
SMT.AYSHA YOUSEFF SRI.JOBI.A.THAMPI RESPONDENT: STATE
OF KERALA, REPRESENTED BY THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH
COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM. SMT.SEENA C., PUBLIC
PROSECUTOR THIS CRIMINAL APPEAL HAVING COME UP FOR

ADMISSION ON 22.05.2024, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY
DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

P.G. AJITHKUMAR, J.

..... Dated this
the 22nd day of May, 2024

JUDGMENT

This is an appeal against conviction. The appellant was convicted for the offences punishable under Sections 279, 201 and 304 A of the Indian Penal Code, 1860. Both imprisonment and fine form part of the sentence.

2. Death of the appellant was reported as early as on

26.08.2021. In terms of the direction by this Court to collect and furnish details of the legal heirs of the appellant, the Station House Officer, Oachira Police Station would report that his legal heir, one Sreejith lives in Iringalakkuda, but his whereabouts could be gather. Although, three years elapse after reporting the death of the appellant, nobody has come forward to prosecute the appeal. In the said circumstances, records are consigned to the record room in terms of the law laid down by this Court in Pazhani v. State of Kerala [2017(1) KLT 341]. The trial court is directed to take steps for realisation of the fine amount from the assets left by the appellant, if any. Sd/- P.G. AJITHKUMAR, JUDGE Dxy

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