

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

**DATED: 01-07-2026**

CORAM

**THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE C.KUMARAPPAN**

**CRL OP No. 16766 of 2026**

Ponnurangan

D.No.851, Keeraipatti Puthur,Dharmapuri District

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

State Rep by

The Inspector of Police,

Harur Police Station,

Dharmapuri District.

Crime No.282 of 2026

..Respondent(s)

**PRAYER :** Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, Act, 2023, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in the event of his arrest in Crime NO.282/2026 pending investigation on the file of the respondent police and thus render justice

For Petitioner(s):

P M Jayachandran

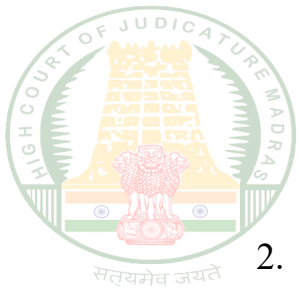
For Respondent(s):

Mr.N.Palanivel

Government Advocate(Crl.side)

### **ORDER**

The petitioner apprehends arrest for the alleged offence under Section 303(2) of BNS Act, Crime No. 282 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police seeks anticipatory bail.



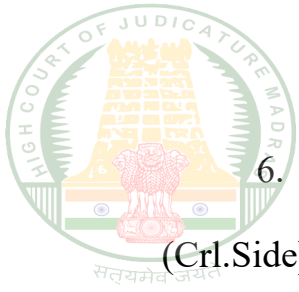
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2. The case of the prosecution is that when the respondent police were conducting routine check up, they found that the vehicle bearing registration No.TN 54 U 4694 was attempting to transport gravel sand worth Rs.6,000/- without any valid permit. Hence, the case.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent and he has been falsely implicated in the present case and that he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He further submitted that the petitioner is ready to abide by any stringent conditions that may be imposed by this Court. Hence, he prays for grant of bail to the Petitioners.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the Respondent Police reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that two previous cases were pending against the petitioner which are similar in nature. Hence, he opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

5. I have given my anxious consideration to either side submissions and perused the materials available on record.



6. From the submissions made by the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side), it is seen that the petitioner has got two previous cases of similar nature, which clearly demonstrates that whenever he was granted bail by the Courts, he has misused the liberty granted to him. In view of the same, if the petitioner is enlarged on bail, he may be emboldened to indulge in similar offences in future without fear of law. Hence, taking into consideration of interest of the society at large, this Court is not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on anticipatory bail.

7. Accordingly, this criminal original petition stands dismissed.

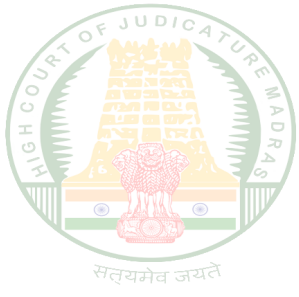
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1. The Inspector of Police,  
Harur Police Station,  
Dharmapuri District.

2. The Public Prosecutor,  
High Court,  
Madras.

3. The Judicial Magistrate, Harur.



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**C.KUMARAPPAN, J.**

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