



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 28-07-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE C.KUMARAPPAN

CRL OP No. 20280 of 2026

Vichu @ Sylesh Kumar

..Petitioner

Vs

State by Inspector of Police
H-5, New Washernmentpet Police Station,
Chennai. Crime No. 280 of 2026.

..Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in Crime No.280 of 2026 pending on the file of respondent.

For Petitioner: Mr.V.Parthiban

For Respondent: Mr.S.Yogaraja Sekar
Counsel for Government of Tamilnadu
(Criminal Side)

Order

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 08.06.2026 for the alleged offences under Sections 126(2), 296(b), 115(2), 311, 351(3) of BNS and 4 of TNPWH ACT in Crime No.280 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the defacto complainant is the elder sister of the petitioner's wife. Due to a family dispute, the petitioner abused and



assaulted the defacto complainant, extorted a sum of Rs.250 from her and threatened her with dire consequences.

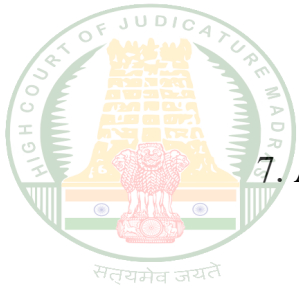
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3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and has been falsely implicated in this case. He would further submit that the petitioner has been in judicial custody since 08.06.2026 and the petitioner is ready to abide by any conditions that may be imposed by this Court. Hence, he prays for the grant of bail.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent, while opposing the grant of bail to the petitioner, reiterated the prosecution case and on instructions, submitted that the petitioner has 31 previous cases, including three cases under Section 302 of the IPC.

5. I have given anxious consideration to the submissions made by the learned counsel on either side.

6. Considering the serious allegation against this petitioner and also upon the fact that the petitioner has 31 previous cases, including three cases under Section 302 of the IPC, this Court is not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail.



7. Accordingly, this criminal original petition stands dismissed.

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To

1. The Inspector of Police, H-5, New Washernmentpet Police Station, Chennai.
2. The Public Prosecutor, High Court of Madras.



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