

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.ABRAHAM MATHEW

FRIDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF JUNE 2015/22ND JYAISHTA, 1937

Bail Appl..No. 3276 of 2015

CRIME NO. 28/2015 OF KUMBALA EXCISE RANGE, KASARAGOD DISTRICT.
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PETITIONER/ACCUSED:

**MANOHARAN.R, AGED 45 YEARS,
S/O.LATE RAMAN, IYLA, PARAKKATTA DESOM,
MANGALPADI VILLAGE, MANJESHWAR TALUK.**

**BY ADVS.SRI.K.PRAVEEN KUMAR
SMT.ANN SUSAN GEORGE**

RESPONDENT(S)/COMPLAINANT/STATE:

- 1. STATION HOUSE OFFICER,
KUMBALA EXCISE RANGE,
KASARAGOD - 671 121.**
- 2. STATE OF KERALA,
REP.BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM.**

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.DHANESH MATHEW MANJOORAN

**THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 12-06-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE
FOLLOWING:**

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K.ABRAHAM MATHEW, J.

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B.A.No. 3276 of 2015

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Dated this the 12th day of June, 2015

ORDER

Petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C.

2. Petitioner is the sole accused in Crime No.28 of 2015 of Kumbala Police station. The petitioner is alleged to have committed the offence punishable under Section 55(a) of the Kerala Abkari Act I of 1977. The prosecution case is that, he was found transporting 30 bottles of Indian Made Foreign Liquor each containing 180 ml, which was intended to be sold only in Karnataka.

3. The learned counsel submits that taking into consideration the period of custody, he may be granted bail.

4. Heard both sides.

5. The petitioner has been in custody since 13.05.2015. The application is opposed especially on the ground that

the petitioner has been involved in another case under the Abkari Act. There are no sufficient grounds to believe it that he is not guilty of the offence. I also find no reason to believe that he will not commit the offence again.

In the result, this application is dismissed.

Sd/-
K.ABRAHAM MATHEW
JUDGE

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P.A.TO JUDGE