

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.ABRAHAM MATHEW

THURSDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF JULY 2015/25TH ASHADHA, 1937

Bail Appl..No. 4109 of 2015

CRIME NO. 71/2015 OF KARUNAGAPPALLY EXCISE RANGE OFFICE , KOLLAM

APPLICANT/PETITIONER:

**THANGAMANI, AGED 48 YEARS,
D/O AMMUKUTTY, MANDANATHU KIZHAKKATHIL HOUSE,
AADHINADU SOUTH, KARUNAGAPPALLY, KOLLAM.**

BY ADV. SMT.THUSHARA.V

RESPONDENT(S)/RESPONDENT & STATE:

- 1. THE STATE OF KERALA,
REPRESENTED BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT OF KERALA,
ERNAKULAM -682 031.**
- 2. THE EXCISE INSPECTOR,
EXCISE RANGE OFFICE, KARUNAGAPPALLY,
KOLLAM DISTRICT -690 518.**

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SMT.REMA. R.

**THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 16-07-2015,
THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:**

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K. ABRAHAM MATHEW, J.

B.A. No.4109 of 2015

Dated this the 16th day of July 2015

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Petition filed under Sec.439 Cr.P.C.

2. Petitioner is accused in Crime No.71 of 2015 of Karunagappally Excise Range registered for the offences under Secs.55(a) and (i) of the Kerala Abkari Act. The prosecution case is that she was found selling Indian Made Foreign Liquor. 12.5 litres of liquor was seized from her house.

3. Heard both sides.

4. Learned counsel submits that the petitioner has been in custody since 03.6.2015 and she may be granted bail.

5. The application is opposed by the learned Public Prosecutor who submits that the petitioner is involved in ten other cases registered under the Kerala Abkari Act.

6. There are no grounds to believe that she has not committed the offences alleged against her or that

she will not commit it again if she is released on bail.
Merely because she has been in custody since
03.06.2015, she cannot be released on bail.

In the result, the bail application is dismissed.

Sd/-
K. ABRAHAM MATHEW
JUDGE

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P.A. To Judge