

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.ABRAHAM MATHEW

FRIDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF JULY 2015/2ND SRAVANA, 1937

Bail Appl..No. 4147 of 2015 ()

(CRIME NO. 94/2015 OF KARUNAGAPPALLY EXCISE RANGE OFFICE , KOLLAM)

PETITIONER/ACCUSED:

**VASUMATHI @ MAMMI,
AGED 70 YEARS,
D/O. NANI,
RESIDING AT MEENATHERIL KIZHAKKATHIL VEEDU,
PRAYAR THEKKE MURI, KLAPPANA VILLAGE
KARUNAGAPALLY TALUK, KOLLAM DISTRICT.**

**BY ADVS.SRI.BINU GEORGE
SMT.HEMALATHA**

RESPONDENT/STATE:

**STATE OF KERALA,
REPRESENTED BY THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM.**

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SMT.REMA.R.

**THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 24-07-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:**

vmr.

K. ABRAHAM MATHEW, J.

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B.A.No. 4147 of 2015

Dated this the 24th day of July, 2015

ORDER

Petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C.

2. Petitioner is alleged to have committed the offence under Section 55(i) of the Kerala Abkari Act. She was found selling Indian Made Foreign Liquor.

3. Heard.

4. The petitioner was found selling Indian Made Foreign Liquor and she was arrested in the course of it. The Excise Officers seized 700 ml. of the liquor, a glass and an empty bottle. The application is opposed. Learned counsel submits that the petitioner is 70 years old and she has been in custody since 24.06.2015 and she may be granted bail. But she has been involved in four other cases, the first of which was in 2009. It appears that if she is released on bail, she will repeat the offence.

In the result, this application is dismissed.

Sd/-

**K. ABRAHAM MATHEW,
JUDGE**

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P.A. To Judge