

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM**

**PRESENT:**

**THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.ABRAHAM MATHEW**

**THURSDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF AUGUST 2015/15TH SRAVANA, 1937**

**Bail Appl..No. 4652 of 2015**  
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**CRIME NO. 82/2015 OF KARUNAGAPPALLY EXCISE RANGE, KOLLAM DISTRICT.**  
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**PETITIONER/ACCUSED:**  
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**VASUMATHI, AGED 70 YEARS,  
D/O.NANI, RESIDING AT  
MEENATHERIL KIZHAKKATHIL VEEDU,  
PRAYAR THEKKE MURI, KLAPPANA VILLAGE,  
KARUNAGAPPALLY TALUK, KOLLAM DISTRICT.**

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

**RESPONDENT/STATE:**  
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**STATE OF KERALA,  
THROUGH EXCISE INSPECTOR,  
EXCISE RANGE OFFICE, KARUNAGAPPALLY,  
REPRESENTED BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,  
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM - 682 031.**

**BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.V.S.SREEJITH**

**THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION  
ON 06-08-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE  
FOLLOWING:**

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**K. ABRAHAM MATHEW, J.**

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**B.A. No.4652 of 2015**  
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**Dated this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 2015**

**O R D E R**

Petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C.

2. Petitioner is accused in Crime No.82 of 2015 of Karunagappally Excise Range registered for the offence under Sec.55(i) of the Kerala Abkari Act. The prosecution case is that the petitioner was found selling Indian Made Foreign Liquor near a tea shop.

3. Heard both sides.

4. Learned counsel submits that the petitioner is a woman aged about 70 years, she has been in custody since 14.07.2015 and she may be granted bail.

5. The petitioner is involved in five other cases registered under the Kerala Abkari Act. I am not satisfied that if the petitioner is released on bail she will not commit the offence again.

In the result, the bail application is dismissed.

Sd/-  
**K. ABRAHAM MATHEW**  
**JUDGE**

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