

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.ABRAHAM MATHEW

MONDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF AUGUST 2015/19TH SRAVANA, 1937

Bail Appl..No. 4707 of 2015

CRIME NO. 1658/2015 OF KOLLAM EAST POLICE STATION , KOLLAM

PETITIONER(S)/3RD ACCUSED :

**THOMAS MATHEW, AGED 58 YEARS,
S/O.K.V.MATHEW, MARUTHYKKODU PATHMOS,
MAMBALLIKKUNNAM , CHATHANNUR, KOLLAM, PIN- 691 572.**

**BY ADVS.SRI.SHABU SREEDHARAN
SRI.JOLLY GEORGE
SRI.K.P.UNNIKRISHNAN (ELOOR)
SRI.T.S.PRASANNAKUMAR
SRI.K.V.PREMSANKAR
SMT.RESHMA ABDUL RASHEED**

RESPONDENT(S)/COMPLAINANT :

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

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.JIBU.P.THOMAS

**THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 10-08-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE
FOLLOWING:**

Msd.

K. ABRAHAM MATHEW, J.

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B.A.No. 4707 of 2015

Dated this the 10th day of August, 2015

ORDER

Petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C.

2. Petitioner is the 3rd accused in Crime No. 1658 of 2015 of Kollam East Police Station. Police seized fake degree certificates from the custody of accused 1 and 2. It is alleged that these fake certificates were supplied by the petitioner who is running some business in Bangalore. The allegation is that he along with the co-accused has committed the offences under Sections 420, 468 and 471 of the Indian Penal Code.

3. Heard.

4. The first and the second accused were arrested by the police. Their confession statements have been recorded. It is disclosed that it is the petitioner who supplied the fake certificates. He sent them to the co-accused by courier. So there is a *prima facie* case against the petitioner. It is not at all proper to grant him anticipatory bail.

In the result, this application is dismissed.

Sd/-

**K. ABRAHAM MATHEW,
JUDGE**

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P.A. To Judge