

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE B.SUDHEENDRA KUMAR

MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2015/27TH ASWINA, 1937

Bail Appl..No. 6488 of 2015 ()

CRIME NO. 991/2015 OF NARAKKAL POLICE STATION, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT

PETITIONER/ACCUSED :

**NIKHIL DAS P.N.,
S/O.SRI NEELAMBARAN,
AGED 31 YEARS, PUNCHEPPADY HOUSE
NAYARAMBALAM P.O., THAIYAZHATH LANE EAST,
KOCHI – 682 509.**

BY ADV. SRI.ANTONY MUKKATH

RESPONDENTS/RESPONDENT :

**1. SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE
NARAKKAL POLICE STATION, NARAKKAL
ERNAKULAM, PIN – 682 506.**

**2. STATE OF KERALA
REPRESENTED BY THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM - 682031**

R1 & R2 BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SMT. R. REMA

**THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 19-10-2015,
THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:**

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B. SUDHEENDRA KUMAR, J.

B. A. No. 6488 of 2015

Dated this the 19th day of October, 2015

ORDER

The petitioner is the accused in Crime No.991/2015 of Narakkal Police Station registered under Sections 17, 18A and (6A) of the Kerala Money Lenders Act, 1958 read with Section 4 of the Kerala Prohibition of Charging Exorbitant Interest Act, 2012.

2. The petitioner has filed this application under Section 438 Cr.P.C.

3. Heard.

4. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, including the nature of allegations raised against the petitioner, I am of the view that the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not necessary for the progress of investigation of the case. In the said circumstances, an order under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in favour of the petitioner will be justified in this case.

5. In the result, this application stands allowed and the respondents are directed to release the petitioner on bail in the event of his arrest in connection with Crime No.991/2015 of Narakkal Police Station, on condition of the petitioner executing a bond for ₹25,0000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) with two

solvent sureties each for the like sum to the satisfaction of the Sub Inspector of Police, Narakkal Police Station, before whom the petitioner shall surrender within 10 days from today and subject to the following further conditions:

- (i) The petitioner shall report before the Investigating Officer as and when required by the Investigating Officer in writing.
- (ii) The petitioner shall not get involved in any offence while on bail.
- (iii) The petitioner shall not intimidate or influence the witnesses or in any way temper with the investigation.

Sd/-

B. SUDHEENDRA KUMAR, JUDGE.

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P. A. to Judge

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