



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Thursday, the Fifth day of March Two Thousand Fifteen

PRESENT

THE HON`BLE MR JUSTICE P.N.PRAKASH

CRL OP (MD) No.18721 of 2014

1 P.MUTHUSAMY
2 SUSEELA

... PETITIONERS/ACCUSED RANK NOT KNOWN

Vs

THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
ALL WOMEN POLICE STATION, KEERANUR,
PUDUKOTTAI DISTRICT.
CRIME NO NOT KNOWN/2014) ... RESPONDENT/COMPLAINANT

For Petitioner : M/S. T. PONRAMKUMAR Advocate

For Respondent : MR.A.P.BALASUBRAMANIAN, Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec. 438 Cr.P.C.

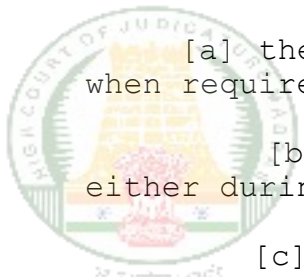
ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offence punishable under Sections 323, 294(B) and 498(A) IPC and Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Women Harassment Act in Crime No.Not known of 2014 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.Earlier the matter was referred to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre, attached to this Bench and failure report has been received from the Mediation Centre.

3. It is seen that the petitioners are the in-laws of the defacto complainant. The defacto complainant got married to M.BalaKumar, who is the son of the petitioners. This Court has granted anticipatory bail to Balakumar in Crl.O.P(MD)No.23760 of 2014 on 30.12.2014.

4. Under such circumstances, following the dictum laid down in *Arnesh Kumar vs. State of Bihar and Another* reported in (2014) 3 MLJ (Crl) (SC) 353, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Keeranur, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a separate bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the respondent police or the police officer who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further



[a] the petitioners shall report before the respondent police as and when required for interrogation.

[b] the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[c] the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

[d] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner released on bail by the learned Magistrate/Trial Court himself as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in P.K.Shaji vs. State of Kerala [(2005)AIR SCW 5560].

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05/03/2015

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

TO

1. THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, KEERANUR.
2. -DO- THRO THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
PUDUKOTTAI.
3. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
ALL WOMEN POLICE STATION, KEERANUR,
PUDUKOTTAI DISTRICT.
4. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

+1. CC to M/S. T. PONRAMKUMAR Advocate SR.No. 10545

SR : 09.03.2015 : 2P/6C

ORDER
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