

Crl.O.P.No. 9885 of 2016**P.KALAIYARASAN, J**

1. The petitioners apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offences punishable under Sections 147, 148, 294(b), 323, 324 and 307 of I.P.C read with 3(1) of TNP (PD & L) Act on the file of the respondent police, in Crime No. 185 of 2016 and seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that due to wordy quarrel, the petitioners are alleged to have abused the de-facto complainant in filthy language, assaulted and threatened him with dire consequences and thereby caused injuries.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioners would submit that the co-accused / 3rd accused Balaguru has been released on anticipatory bail by the Court of the District and Sessions Judge, Nagapattinam in Crl.M.P.No.1048 of 2016 dated 25.04.2016 and the petitioners are innocent to the offences, that they are having permanent residence, that they will co-operate with the investigation and therefore, they may be granted anticipatory bail.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent submitted that the injured has been discharged from the hospital.

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5. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also the fact that co-accused was enlarged on anticipatory bail, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

6. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Sirkazhi and on each of them executing a 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 learned Magistrate concerned and on further condition to appear before the respondent police daily at 10.00 a.m for a period of two weeks and thereafter as and when required. The petitioners shall comply with the condition stipulated under Section 438 Cr.P.C. scrupulously.

7. The petitioners shall appear before the concerned Magistrate within a period of three weeks from the date on which the order copy made ready, failing which, the petition for anticipatory bail stands dismissed.

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