



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

Tuesday, the Twenty Ninth day of March Two Thousand Sixteen

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr Justice P.N.PRAKASH

CRL OP(MD) No.5358 of 2016

1 K. MUTHUVEL THEVAR
2 K.R. MANI
3 PERIYASAMY
4 RENGAN

... PETITIONERS/ACCUSED NO. 1 TO 4

Vs

STATE REP BY THE SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE
DEVAKOTTAI TALUK POLICE STATION,
SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT. ... RESPONDENT/COMPLAINANT

For Petitioner : M/S C.KISHORE Advocate
For Respondent : MR.A.P.BALASUBRAMANI Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side)

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

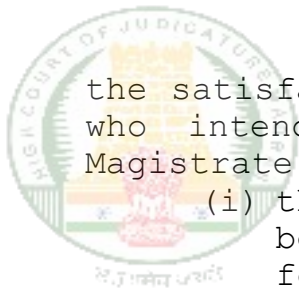
ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioners, who apprehended arrest at the hands of the respondent Police for the alleged offence punishable under Section 379 (NH) I.P.C., in Crime No.312 of 2015, on the file of the respondent Police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. Heard Mr.C.Kishore, learned counsel appearing for the petitioners / accused 1 to 4 and Mr.A.P.Balasubramani, learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the State.

3. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) has submitted that on completion of investigation in this case, the respondent Police has filed a charge sheet before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Devakottai, on 04.01.2016, and the same is yet to be taken on file.

4. Taking into consideration the above facts, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners / accused 1 to 4. Accordingly, they 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, Devakottai, on condition that each of the petitioners shall execute 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 respondent Police or to the Police Officer, who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further condition that:

- (i) the petitioners / accused 1 to 4 shall report before the respondent Police as and when required for interrogation.
- (ii) the petitioners / accused 1 to 4 shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.
- (iii) the petitioners / accused 1 to 4 shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.
- (iv) On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioners / accused 1 to 4 in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners / accused 1 to 4 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]**.

5. The Inspector of Police concerned is directed to send a compliance report to the office of the learned Government Advocate, as to whether the petitioners are complying with the conditions or not.

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29/03/2016

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

TO

- 1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, DEVAKOTTAI
- 2 THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, SIVAGANGAI
- 3 THE SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE
DEVAKOTTAI TALUK POLICE STATION, SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT.
- 4 THE ADDL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

+2. CC to M/S C.KISHORE Advocate SR.No.17933,17409

ORDER
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