



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

Tuesday, the Sixth day of March Two Thousand Eighteen

PRESENT

**The Hon`ble Mr.Justice R.PONGIAPPAN**

CRL OP (MD) No.3460 of 2018

PONNIAH,

... PETITIONER/SOLE ACCUSED

Vs

THE STATE OF TAMILNADU  
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,  
THOOTHUKUDI SOUTH POLICE STATION,  
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT.  
(CRIME NO.125 OF 2018)

... RESPONDENT/ COMPLAINANT

For Petitioner : M/S.K.VAMANAN Advocate

For Respondent : MR.A.ROBINSON, Government Advocate ( Crl. Side)

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

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioner, who is arrayed as sole accused, apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 323 and 506(ii) of IPC, in Crime No.125 of 2018, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that due to the wordy quarrel, the petitioner is said to have assaulted the *defacto* complainant by using hands and also abused him in filthy language. Thus, on complaint, a case has been registered against the petitioner.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is an innocent person and he did not commit any offence as alleged by the prosecution.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) would submit that it is a simple injury and the injured was discharged from the hospital and the investigation of the case is pending.

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5.The submissions made by the learned counsel



appearing on either side are considered. It is alleged, due to the wordy quarrel, the petitioner has assaulted the *defacto* complainant and thereby, the *defacto* complainant has sustained injury. As of now, the injured was discharged from the hospital after taking treatment and in the above said offences, except 506(ii) of IPC all other offences are bailable in nature. Considering the nature of offences committed by the petitioner, the custodial interrogation of the petitioner may not be necessary for completing the investigation. Hence, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail with some stringent conditions to the petitioner.

6. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.I, Thoothukudi, on condition that the petitioner shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five 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 petitioner shall appear before the respondent Police daily at 5.00 p.m. for a period of three weeks and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.

(ii) the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

(iii) the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

(iv) On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the anticipatory bail granted to the petitioners shall stand automatically cancelled and 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 petitioners 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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THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE NO.I, THOOTHUKUDI

DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE  
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT

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THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,  
THOOTHUKUDI SOUTH POLICE STATION,  
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT.

THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,  
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

+1. CC to M/S.K.VAMANAN Advocate SR.No.3563

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