



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

Friday, the Third day of August Two Thousand Eighteen

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice G.R.SWAMINATHAN

CRL OP(MD) No.13832 of 2018

1 MERLIN NALITHA
2 JOHN FELIX
3 JERIN JACKSON

... PETITIONERS / ACCUSED NO. 1 TO 3

Vs

THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
PUTHUKADAI POLICE STATION,
KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT.
(CRIME NO.170 OF 2018)

... RESPONDENT / COMPLAINANT

For Petitioners : Mr.S.C.HEROLD SINGH Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.A.ROBINSON Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side)

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

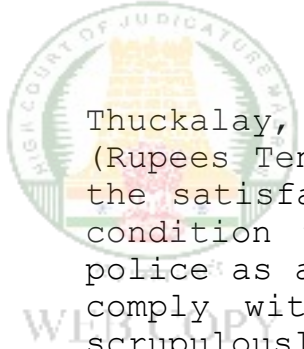
ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioners, who are arrayed as accused Nos.1 to 3, apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 294 (b), 323, 324, 506(ii) IPC and Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act, 2002 in Crime No.170 of 2018, on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.The learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners are innocent persons and they did not commit any offence as alleged by the prosecution.

3. Heard the learned Government Advocate (Crl.side) appearing for the State.

4.The defacto complainant is the daughter of the first petitioner. Taking into consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case and also taking note of the relationship between the parties, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance before the learned Judicial Magistrate II,



Thuckalay, and on his executing a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) each with two sureties for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further condition that the petitioners shall appear before the respondent police as and when required for interrogation. The petitioners shall comply with the conditions stipulated under Section 438 Cr.P.C. scrupulously.

5.The petitioners shall appear before the concerned Magistrate within a period of 15 days from the date on which the order copy is made ready, failing which, the petition for anticipatory bail shall stand dismissed.

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03/08/2018

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

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TO

- 1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE-II,
THUCKALAY.
- 2 THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT AT NAGERCOIL.
- 3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
PUTHUKADAI POLICE STATION,
KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT.
- 4 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

+1. CC to M/S.S.C.HEROLD SINGH Advocate SR.No.14972
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ORDER
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