



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

Saturday, the Eleventh day of August Two Thousand Eighteen

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PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

CRL OP(MD) No.14294 of 2018

MUTHUPANDI

... PETITIONER / SOLE ACCUSED

Vs

STATE REP.BY
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
COURTALAM POLICE STATION,
TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT.
(IN CRIME NO. 431 OF 2018)

... RESPONDENT / COMPLAINANT

For Petitioner : Mr.V.SELVA Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.V.NEELAKANDAN Additional Public Prosecutor.

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

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

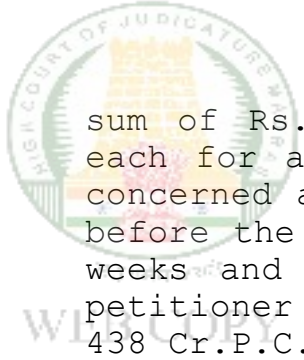
The petitioner apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 506(ii) I.P.C and Section 4 of the Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Women Harassment Act, in Crime No.431 of 2018, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner has attempted to molest the defacto complainant, who is the neighbour of the petitioner and abused her and also threatened with dire consequences. Hence, the complaint.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is an innocent person. He did not involve any offence as alleged by the prosecution. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4.Heard the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent.

5.Taking note of the facts and circumstances, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Shengottai and on his 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 that the petitioner shall appear before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m for a period of two weeks and thereafter as and when required for interrogation. The petitioner shall comply with the conditions stipulated under Section 438 Cr.P.C. scrupulously.

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

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11/08/2018

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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,
SHENGOTTAI.
- 2 THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
TIRUNELVELI.
- 3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
COURTALAM POLICE STATION,
TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT.
- 4 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

+1. CC to M/S.V.SELVA Advocate SR.No.15426
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