



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

Wednesday, the Nineteenth day of December Two Thousand Eighteen

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PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice M.NIRMAL KUMAR

CRL OP(MD) No.22358 of 2018

1. PANKIRAJ
2. DHAS
3. PAULRAJ
4. DHARMARAJ
5. CHELLASWAMI

... PETITIONERS / ACCUSED NOS.3,4,5,6 & 7

Vs

THE STATE REP.B
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
KARUNGAL POLICE STATION,
KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT,
(CRIME NO.298/2018)

... RESPONDENT / COMPLAINANT

For Petitioners : MR.S.RAMAKRISHNAN Advocate

For Respondent : MR.K.SUYAMBULINGA BHARATHI,
Government Advocate(Crl. Side)

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

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

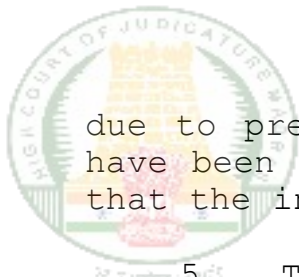
The petitioners, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offences punishable under Sections 147, 294(b), 342, 323 and 506(ii) of IPC and Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act in Cr.No.298 of 2018 seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioners along with others waylaid the defacto complainant and harassed her and assaulted her and threatened him with dire consequences

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that it is a case in counter and on the complaint given by the petitioners, the case was also registered against the de-facto complainant in Crime No. 323 of 2018. He would further submit that the injured has also been discharged from the hospital.

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4. The learned Government Advocate(Crl.Side) would submit that



due to previous enmity between the parties, case and counter case have been lodged by the respective parties. He would further submit that the injured had been discharged from the hospital.

5. Taking into consideration the facts of the case and the submissions by learned counsels and that the injured has been discharged from the hospital, this Court inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

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, Eraniel, Kanyakumari District on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) each with two sureties, each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the said Magistrate, on further condition that:

[a] if the petitioners fail to surrender before the said Magistrate within a period of fifteen days, this Order shall stand automatically cancelled.

[b] the petitioners shall report before the respondent police as and when required for interrogation

[c] the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[d] the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

[e] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, 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]**.

[f] If the accused thereafter abscond, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

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

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1. THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
ERANIEL, KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT.



2. DO THRO' THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT AT NAGERCOIL.

3. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
KARUNGAL POLICE STATION,
KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT.

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

+1. CC to MR.S.RAMAKRISHNAN Advocate SR.No.23692

ORDER

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