



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

Tuesday, the Nineteenth day of February Two Thousand Nineteen

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PRESENT

**The Hon`ble Mr.Justice M.DHANDAPANI**

CRL OP (MD) No.2553 of 2019

1 KARUPPASAMY  
2 ANANTH  
3 RAVICHANDRAN  
4 KALIMUTHU

... PETITIONERS/ ACCUSED 1 TO 4

Vs

STATE REP.BY  
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE  
THIRUVENKADAM POLICE STATION,  
TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT.  
CRIME NO.27/2019

... RESPONDENT / COMPLAINANT

For Petitioners: Mr.A.JAYARAMACHANDRAN, 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 are apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offence under Sections 147, 294 (b), 323, 506(i) IPC and Section 4 of TNPHW Act, in Cr.No.27 of 2019, on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.It is the case of the prosecution that the defacto complainant is working as Indira Nagar South Anganwadi Centre. On 12.02.2019, when she was on duty, the petitioners, who came across the Anganwadi Centre by taking a mortal remains of their relative and she asked them that the dead body could not be taken and requested them to take a different route, due to the same, the petitioners abused her in filthy language and also assaulted her. Hence, the complaint.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners did not commit any offence as alleged by the prosecution and they are innocent persons. He would further submit that the petitioners also gave a complaint as against the defacto complainant and the same was registered in Cr.No.28 of 2019 and hence, he would pray for anticipatory bail to the petitioners.



4.The learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) appearing for the respondent police would submit that the investigation is pending.

3.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and considering the fact that it is case and case in counter, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners. Accordingly, the petitioners 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, Sankarankovil, Tirunveveli 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 respondent police or the police officer who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further condition that:

(a)the petitioners and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity;

(b)the petitioners shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., until further orders;

(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]**; and;

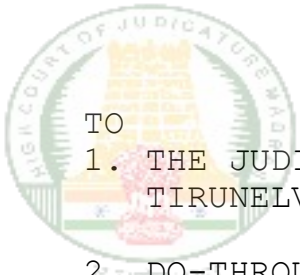
(f)if the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

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



TO

1. THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, SANKARANKOVIL,  
TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT.

2. DO-THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,  
TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT.

3. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE  
THIRUVENKADAM POLICE STATION, TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT.

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

+1. CC to Mr.A.JAYARAMACHANDRAN Advocate SR.No.3289

ORDER

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