



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

Tuesday, the Nineteenth day of February Two Thousand Nineteen

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice M.DHANDAPANI

CRL OP (MD) No.2563 of 2019

PALANIVEL @ PALANI

... PETITIONER / ACCUSED NO.2

Vs

STATE REP.BY
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
THANJAVUR EAST POLICE STATION,
THANJAVUR DISTRICT.
(CRIME NO.455/2018)

... RESPONDENT / COMPLAINANT

For Petitioner : Mr.A.ARUN PRASAD, 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 petitioner who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offence under Sections 4(1)(a), 4(1-A) of Tamil Nadu Prohibition Act, in Cr.No.455 of 2018, on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.It is the case of the prosecution that the petitioner is in illegal possession of 25 bottles of illicit arrack and hence, a case has been registered against the petitioner.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner did not commit any offence as alleged by the prosecution and he is an innocent person. However, on instructions, the learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is ready and willing to deposit a sum of Rs.5,000/- to the credit of the Dean, Medical College, Thanjavur, for the welfare of the alcohol addicted persons without prejudice to their defence before the trial Court.

4.The learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) appearing for the respondent police vehemently opposed for grant of anticipatory bail. however, he would submit that anticipatory bail may grant by imposing stringent conditions.



5. In view of the above, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with a condition that the petitioner shall deposit a sum of Rs.5,000/- to the credit of the Dean, Medical College, Thanjavur for giving treatment to the alcohol addict persons. 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.III, Thanjavur District on condition that the petitioner 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) petitioner shall deposit a sum of Rs.5,000/- to the credit of the Dean, Medical College, Thanjavur, for giving treatment to the alcohol addicted persons, without prejudice to their defence before the trial Court;

(b) the petitioner 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;

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

(d) the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(e) the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

(f) on breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/ Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner 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;

(g) 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 NO.III,
THANAJVUR DISTRICT.

2. DO-THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
THANJAVUR DISTRICT AT KUMBAKONAM.

3. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
THANJAVUR EAST POLICE STATION,
THANJAVUR DISTRICT.

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

COPY TO:

THE DEAN,
MEDICAL COLLEGE, THANJAVUR.

+1. CC to Mr.A.ARUN PRASAD Advocate SR.No.3414

ORDER

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