



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

Wednesday, the Ninth day of January Two Thousand Nineteen

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PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice M.NIRMAL KUMAR

CRL OP(MD) No.40 of 2019

RAMACHANDRAN

... PETITIONER / SOLE ACCUSED

Vs

STATE REP. BY
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
KULASEKARAPATTINAM POLICE STATION,
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT.
IN CRIME NO. 264 OF 2018

... RESPONDENT / COMPLAINANT

For Petitioner : MR.D.RAMESHKUMAR 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 apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 4(1-A) of TNP Act, in Cr.No.264 of 2018 seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that on 20.12.2018, when the respondent police has conducted a prohibition raid, the petitioner was in possession of 12 bottles of TASMAL Arrack.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that a false case has been foisted against him and he had nothing to do with the alleged crime. Since he belongs to break away party from the ruling party, he was implicated in this case. Further, he submitted that he belongs to respective family and his wife is working as a doctor in Government Hospital, Thoothukudi.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) submits that the petitioners have six previous cases and the same have been referred as Mistake of Fact.

5.Taking into consideration the facts of the case, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6.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, Tiruchendur, condition that the petitioner shall execute 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 said Magistrate, on further condition that:

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

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m. for a period of two weeks nad thereafter as and when required for interrogation.

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

[d] the petitioner 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 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]**.

[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.

TO

1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
TIRUCHENDUR.

2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
TUTICORIN.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
KULASEKARAPATTINAM POLICE STATION,
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT.

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

+1. CC to M/S.D.RAMESHKUMAR Advocate SR.No.520

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