



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

Date : 12/06/2019

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The Hon`ble Mr.Justice P.RAJAMANICKAM

CRL OP(MD) . No.7490 of 2019

B.Gopalakrishnan @ Gopal

... Petitioner/Accused No.1

Vs

State through
The Inspector of Police,
Velayuthampalayam Police Station,
Karur District.

Crime No. 151 of 2019

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : M/s.K.Balasubramani,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mrs.M.Anantha Devi,
Govt.Advocate (Crl.Side).

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No. 151 of 2019 on the file of
the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioner/A-1, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the
respondent police for the offence punishable under section 379 of
IPC (Sand Theft), seeks anticipatory bail.

2. Heard both sides.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has
submitted that totally three accused persons involved in this case
and the petitioner herein is the owner of the vehicle. He further
submitted that A2 and A3 were arrested by the respondent police. He
further submitted that no previous case is pending against the
petitioner and he is an innocent person and he has been falsely
implicated in the above said case and hence, he prayed for grant of
anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) appearing for the
respondent has submitted that the petitioner herein along with other
accused persons had illegally transported eight units of river sand.
He further submitted that A2 and A3 were arrested by the respondent
police and no previous case is pending against the petitioner.



5. Taking into consideration of the fact that no previous case is pending against the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

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 No.II, Karur, on 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 respondent Police or to the Police Officer, who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further condition that:

(i) the petitioner shall deposit a sum of Rs.40,000/- (Rupees Forty thousand only) to the credit of Crime No.151 of 2019 before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.II, Karur, without prejudice his defence before the trial Court;

(ii) If the petitioner fail to surrender before the concerned Magistrate within a period of 15 days, this order shall stand automatically cancelled.

(iii) the petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m for a period of three weeks and thereafter, as and when required before the respondent police for interrogation.

(iv) the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

(v) the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

(vi) 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].

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

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To

1.The Judicial Magistrate No.II, Karur.

2.Do-Through The Chief Judicial Magistrate,
Karur District.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Velayuthampalayam Police Station,
Karur District.

4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

+1 CC to M/s.AN.RAMANATHAN, Advocate (SR-9648[I] dated 14/06/2019)

ORDER

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