



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 28/06/2019

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PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice P.RAJAMANICKAM

CRL OP(MD) . No.9147 of 2019

Anbucheziyan,

... Petitioner/Accused No.3

Vs

State represented through
The Inspector of Police,
East Police Station,
Thanjavur District.
(Crime No.168 of 2019)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Maheswaran,
Advocate.

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

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

PRAYER :-

For anticipatory bail in cr.no.168 of 2019 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Section 379 of IPC and Section 21(1) of Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957, in Crime No. 168 of 2019, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. Heard both sides.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that as per the FIR, that the petitioner herein has illegally transported ¼ unit of river sand by using bullock cart. He further submitted that the petitioner is not having any bad antecedents and hence, he prayed for grant of



anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. Per contra, the learned Government Advocate (criminal side) appearing for the respondent has submitted that the petitioner has transported $\frac{1}{4}$ unit of river sand without any valid permission. However, she fairly conceded that no similar type of 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.I, Thanjavur, 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] petitioner shall deposit a sum of Rs.4,000/- (Rupees Four Thousand only) to the credit of Crime No.168 of 2019 before the learned learned Judicial Magistrate, No.I, Thanjavur, without prejudice to 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.I,
THANJAVUR.

2 DO THRO' THE CHIEF JUDICAIL MAGISTRATE,
THANJAVUR DISTRICT AT KUMBAKONAM.

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

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

+1. CC to MR.R.MAHESWARAN Advocate SR.No.10718

ORDER

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