

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated : 26.08.2020

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA

Crl.O.P.No.13031 of 2020

S.Pakkiri

... Petitioner

Vs.

STATE BY

The Inspector of Police
P-4, Basin Bridge Police Station
Chennai
(Crime No.697 of 2020)

.... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 439 of Criminal Procedure Code to enlarge the petitioner on bail in Crime No.697 of 2020 on the file of Respondent.

For Petitioner : Mr.B.Janakiram

For Respondent : Mr.T.Shunmugarajeswaran
Government Advocate (Crl. Side)

O R D E R

(The case has been heard through video conference)

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 07.08.2020 for the offences punishable under Section 4(1) (aaa), 4(1)(i) & 4(1-A) of Tamilnadu Prohibition Act and Section 328 IPC r/w Sections 6 and 7 of the Tamilnadu Prohibition of Smoking and Spitting Act 2002 and Section 188 and 269 IPC, in Crime No.697 of 2020, seeks bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner was illegally found in possession of 60 beer bottles, 395 brandy bottles and 5 Kg of Mava.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is innocent and he has been falsely implicated in this case.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) would submit that the petitioner was illegally found in possession of 60 beer bottles, 395 brandy bottles and 5 Kg of Mava. He would further submit that the petitioner has six previous cases out of which five cases are of similar nature. He would further submit that the petitioner was arrested very recently on 07.08.2020 and the investigation is in initial stage. Hence, he vehemently opposes for the grant of bail to the petitioner.

5.Taking into consideration of the antecedents of the petitioner and also considering the fact that the petitioner was arrested very recently on 07.08.2020, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner for the present.

6.The Criminal Original petition stands dismissed accordingly.

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26/08/2020

This order, on being produced, be punctually observed and carried into execution by all concerned

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (Statistics/C.S.)
High Court, Madras - 600 104.

TO

1 THE OFFICER INCHARGE
SUB-JAIL, CHENGALPATTU.

2 THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
P4, BASIN BRIDGE POLICE STATION,
CHENNAI.

CC to M/S B.JANAKIRAM Advocate on payment of necessary charges

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Date :26/08/2020

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