



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

Date : 22/07/2020

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice V.BHARATHIDASAN
CRL OP(MD). No.7617 of 2020

1. Riyazbasha
2. H.Venkatnagu

... Petitioners/Accused No.3 & 4

Vs

The State Rep.by,
The Inspector of Police,
Jeeyapuram Police Station,
Trichy District

In.Crime No.672/2020. ... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners: Mr.S.Sathyachidambaram,Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.K. Suyambulinga Bharathi,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.672 of 2020 on the file of
the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners, who are arrayed as A3 and A4, apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under section 427 of IPC and Section 3 of Tamil Nadu Public Property (Prevention of Damage and Loss) Act, 1992, in Crime No.672 of 2020 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that due to land dispute, the petitioner and other accused were said to have caused damage to the road. Hence, a complaint has been registered.

3.Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners and the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent.

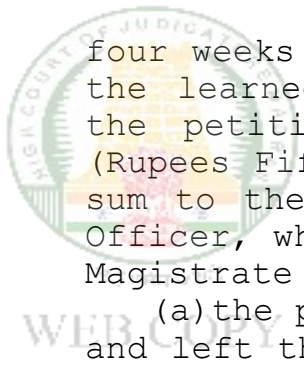
4.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners are innocent persons and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and they have been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that already this Court granted anticipatory bail to A1 and A2 in Crl.O.P.(MD).No.5332 of 2020, dated 14.05.2020. Hence, he prayed for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

5.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent police submitted that the petitioners and other accused were said to have caused damage to the road. Hence, the crime has been registered against the petitioners and others.

6.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the fact that the co-accused have already been granted anticipatory bail by this Court, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

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7.Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or their appearance, within a period of



four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.III, Trichy, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty thousand only) each 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:

(a) the petitioners 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;

(b) the petitioners shall report before the respondent police as and when required for interrogation.

(c) the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(d) the petitioners 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 petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners 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;

(f) if the accused/petitioners 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.

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TO

1. The Judicial Magistrate No.III, Trichy
2. Do Through The Chief Judicial Magistrate, Trichy
3. The Inspector of Police,
Jeeyapuram Police Station, Trichy District.
4. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

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