



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Dated : **23/09/2020**

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PRESENT

The Hon'ble Mr.Justice V.BHARATHIDASAN

CRL.O.P. (MD) No.10141 of 2020

1. A.Muneeswaran
2. A.Pushpam
3. A.Muthupandi

: Petitioners/Accused

Vs.

State through
The Inspector of Police,
All Women Police Station,
Thiruvadanai,
Ramanathapuram District.
Crime No.Not known of 2020.

: Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners : Mr.R.Sevugaraja,
Advocate.

For Respondent : M/s.S.E.Veronica Vincent,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL UNDER SECTION 438 of Cr.P.C

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.Not known of 2020 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners, who are the accused in this crime, apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent Police for the offences punishable under Sections 494 and 498(A) of the Indian Penal Code in Crime No.Not Known of 2020, on the file of the respondent Police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners and the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent Police.

3.When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent Police, on instructions, submitted that petition enquiry is pending against the petitioners.



4. In view of the submission made by the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side), the respondent Police is directed to complete the enquiry, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and if any *prima facie* case is made out against the petitioners, the respondent police shall register the First Information Report or close the petition enquiry. Till then, the respondent police is directed not to arrest the petitioners.

5. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is closed.

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

Note : In view of the present lock down owing to COVID-19 pandemic, a web copy of the order may be utilized for official purposes, but, ensuring that the copy of the order that is presented is the correct copy, shall be the responsibility of the advocate/litigant concerned.

TO

1. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
ALL WOMEN POLICE STATION,
THIRUVADANAI,
RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT.
2. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

ORDER
IN
CRL OP(MD) No.10141 of 2020
Date :23/09/2020

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