



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

( Criminal Jurisdiction )

Date : 24/09/2020

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PRESENT

**The Hon'ble Mr.Justice V.BHARATHIDASAN**

CRL OP (MD) . No.10214 of 2020

1. Selvakumaran
2. Natesan
3. Kamala
4. Saravanan

... Petitioners/Accused  
Rank not known

**Vs**

The State Rep. by  
The Inspector of Police,  
All Women Police Station,  
Pudukkottai District,  
Cr.No.Not Known of 2020

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners: Mr.K.Sivabalan,  
Advocate.

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

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

**PRAYER :-**

For an Anticipatory Bail in Cr.No.Not known of 2020 on the file of the respondent police

**ORDER :** The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners, who are arrayed as Accused No.Rank Not Known, apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent Police for the offence punishable under Sections 498(A), 294(b) and 506(i) of IPC r/w Section 4 of Dowry Prohibition Act, 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 (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent Police.

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



4. In view of the submission made by the learned Government Advocate (Crl. 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,  
PUDUKKOTTAI DISTRICT.
2. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,  
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,  
MADURAI.

ORDER  
IN  
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