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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 09/12/2020

PRESENT

The Hon'ble Mr.Justice G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

CRL OP(MD). No.14369 of 2020

Alagumathi

... Petitioner/Accused No.4

Vs

The State Rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Aravayal Police Station,
Sivagangai District.
(Crime No.240/2020).

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.S.M.Sanjay,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.Kr.Bharathi Kannan,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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

PRAYER :-

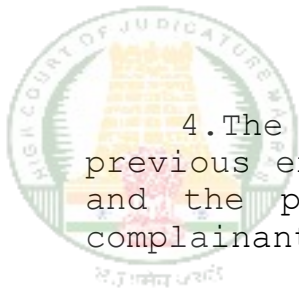
For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.240/2020 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

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

2. The petitioner apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under sections 294(b), 324 and 506(ii) of I.P.C. r/w. Section 4 of Tamilnadu Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act, in Crime No.240 of 2020 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

3.The case of the prosecution is that the the petitioner and the defacto complainant are neighbours. Due to previous enmity, the petitioner attacked the defacto complainant with wooden stick. Hence, the case has been registered.



4.The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that due to previous enmity, the defacto complainant lodged a false against him and the petitioner also lodged a complaint against the defacto complainant.

5.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) submitted that defacto complainant was discharged from the hospital and it is a case and counter case.

6.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and the fact the injured person has been discharged from the hospital, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

7.Accordingly, petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on her appearance before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Devakottai, and on her executing 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:

(a)The petitioner 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 petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m for a period of two weeks and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.

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

(d)the petitioner 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 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]**; and;

(f)if the accused thereafter absconds, 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, DEVAKOTTAI.
2. DO-THROUGH : THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT.
3. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
ARAVAYAL POLICE STATION,
SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT.
4. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

ORDER
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