



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

Date : 23/12/2020

PRESENT

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

CRL OP(MD) . No.15765 of 2020

M.Dinesh Kumar

... Petitioner/Accused

Rank Not Known

Vs

State, represented by,
The Inspector of Police,
Sengipatti Police Station,
Thanjavur District.
Crime No.1214/2020.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : M/s.Pon Karthikeyan.R,
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.1214 of 2020 on the file of
the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the
respondent police for the offences punishable under Section 379 of
IPC seeks anticipatory bail.

2. Heard both sides.

3.The case of the prosecution is that the defacto complainant
is having 20 goats and alleging that on 11.12.2020 at about 11.00
p.m., three persons came by a two wheeler bearing Registration
No.TN-48-AJ-4181 and taken away one of his goat, which is worth
about Rs.5,000/-.

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

5.The learned Government Advocate(Crl.Side) submitted that the
investigation is pending. He would also submit that the petitioner
theft the defacto complainant's goat.



6. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

7. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.III, Thanjavur on condition that the petitioner shall execute 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 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 NO.III, THANJAVUR

2.DO-THROUGH : THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
THANJORE DISTRICT AT KUMBAKONAM.

3.THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
SENGIPATTI POLICE STATION,
THANJAVUR DISTRICT.
CRIME NO.1214/2020.

4.THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

ORDER

IN

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