

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated : 19.05.2021

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE Mrs. JUSTICE R.HEMALATHA

CRL.O.P.No. 9307 of 2021

Manoj @ Manoj Kumar

... Petitioner

Vs.

State rep by,

The Inspector of Police (Crime),
V-4, Rajamangalam Police Station,
Chennai - 600 049.
(Crime No.120 of 2021)

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 439 of Criminal Procedure Code to grant bail to the petitioner pending investigation in Crime No.120 of 2021, on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Krishnamurthy

For Respondent : Mr.E.Rajthilak
Government Advocate (Crl. Side)

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(The case has been heard through video conference)

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 20.04.2021 for an offence punishable under Section 392 IPC, in Crime No.120 of 2021, seeks bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that on 23.03.2021, the petitioner along with other accused came by a two-wheeler and snatched the gold chain weighing 12 grams from the defacto complainant and fled away from the scene of occurrence.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner contended that the petitioner is innocent and is in judicial custody since 20.04.2021 and hence, seeks bail.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) on instructions would submit that the petitioner has been detained under Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982 and that seven more cases of similar nature are pending against the petitioner.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also the fact that the petitioner has already been detained under the Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 1982, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage.

6.This Criminal Original Petition stands dismissed accordingly.

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19/05/2021

This order, on being produced, be punctually observed and carried into execution by all concerned

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (Statistics/C.S.)
High Court, Madras - 600 104.

TO

1 THE SUPERINTENDENT,
CENTRAL PRISON-II,
PUZHAL, CHENNAI.

2 THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE (CRIME),
V-4, RAJAMANGALAM POLICE STATION,
CHENNAI - 600 049.

CC to M/S.G.KRISHNAMURTHY Advocate on payment of necessary charges

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Date :19/05/2021

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