

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 17.06.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

Cr1.O.P.No.10509 of 2021

A.Yoganath

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The State Represented by :- ... Respondents
The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Vaniyambadi,
Thirupathur District.

2. The Inspector of Police,
Natrampalli Police Station,
Thriupathur District.
(Crime No.54 of 2021)

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 438 of Cr.P.C., praying to enlarge the petitioner on bail in the event of his arrest in Crime No.54 of 2021 pending on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Selvakumar

For Respondent : Mr.A.Gopinath
Government Advocate (Cr1 side)

ORDER

The petitioner who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offence under Section 174(3) of Cr.P.C. in Cr.No.54 of 2021 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner got married one Sandhya in the year 2015 and they got two children. The petitioner's friend one Ramachandran had illicit intimacy with the wife of the petitioner. The aforesaid Ramachandran and his friends have taken photographs and video of the petitioner's wife and threatening his wife. Due to which, the petitioner's wife committed suicide.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and he is falsely implicated in this case. Hence, the learned counsel prays to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor submits that the deceased had illegal intimacy with various persons including the petitioner's friends. The deceased had been sexually tortured based on videos recorded by the petitioner's friends. Hence, he has no serious objection to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

5. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and the submissions made on either side, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6.Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned **Judicial Magistrate-III, Thirupathur** 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 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 Court concerned 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. until further orders;

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

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TO

1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
III, THIRUPATHUR

2 THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE
VELLORE. [FOR INFORMATION]

3 THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

4 THE STATE OF TAMILNADU REP.BY
THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE,
VANIYAMBADI,
THIRUPATHUR DISTRICT.

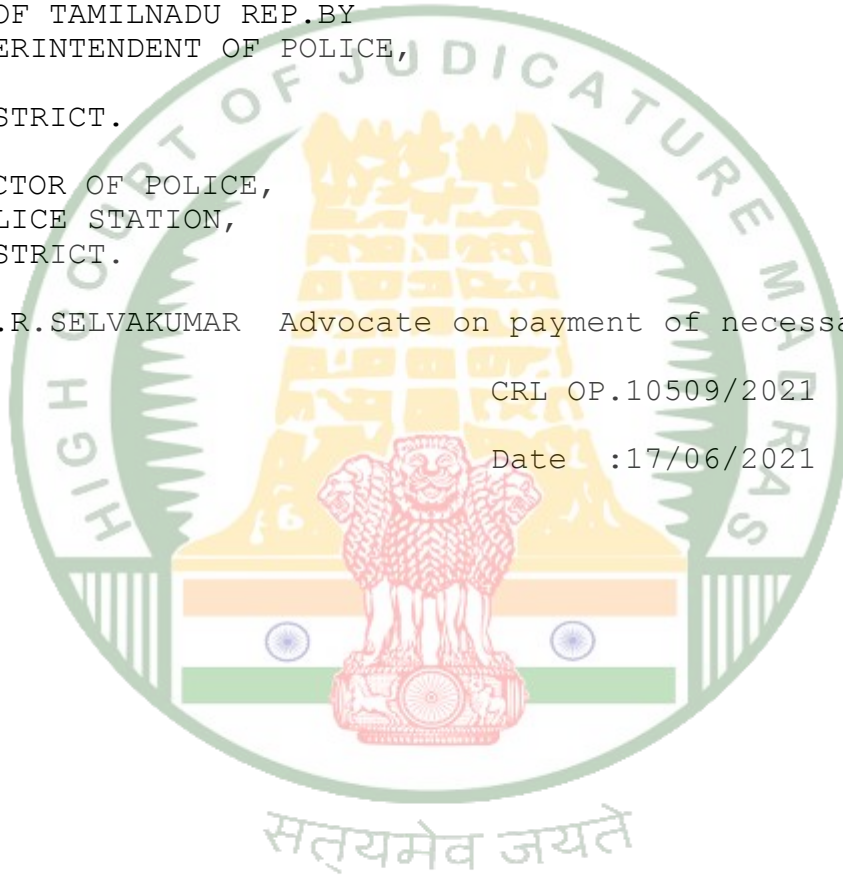
5 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
NATRAMPALLI POLICE STATION,
THIRUPATHUR DISTRICT.

CC to M/S.R.SELVAKUMAR Advocate on payment of necessary charges

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