

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 28.06.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

Crl.O.P.No.11022 of 2021

Pradeep @ Pradeep Kumar

... Petitioner

Vs.

State by Inspector of Police,
Poombuhar Police Station,
Nagapattinam.
(Crime No.68 of 2021)

... Respondent

Prayer:

Petition filed under Section 439 of Cr.P.C., seeking to enlarge the petitioner on bail in Crime No.68 of 2021 on the file of the Inspector of Police, Poombuhar Police Station, Nagapattinam District.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.K.Subramanian

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

O R D E R

The petitioner who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 12.06.2021 for the offence under Sections 147, 148, 294(b), 324, 506(ii) altered as 302 of IPC in Cr.No.68 of 2021 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2.It is the case of the prosecution that the petitioner along with the other accused is alleged to have committed murder of the deceased.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and that he has been falsely implicated in the case. He further submitted that the co-accused has already been enlarged on bail by this Court in Crl.O.P.No.10286 of 2021 on 11.06.2021.

4.Heard the submissions made by the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side).

5.Considering the fact that the co-accused has already been enlarged on bail by this Court, I am inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

6.Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on the following conditions:

(a) the petitioner shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only) before the Superintendent of District Prison, Nagapattinam, in which the petitioner is confined and on such execution the petitioner shall be released from prison;

(b) within a period of four weeks after the release, 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 learned District Munsif cum Judicial Magistrate, Tharangembadi;

(c) in case of any difficulty in executing the said bond along with the sureties before the concerned Magistrate within the time stipulated above, the petitioner is permitted to file appropriate petition within a period of four weeks therefrom before the concerned Magistrate for extension of time for executing the bond along with sureties and if any such application is filed, the concerned Magistrate shall decide on the grant of extension of time for accepting the bond and sureties in accordance with law. Failing filing of any such application within the time prescribed above, the bail granted by this Court would stand automatically vacated;

(d)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;

(e)the petitioner shall report before the respondent police, daily at 10.30 a.m. until further orders;

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

(g)the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

(h)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;

(i)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 DISTRICT MUNSIFF CUM
JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, THARANGEMBADI

2 THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE
NAGAPATTINAM(FOR INFORMATION)

3 THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

4 INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
POOMBUHAR POLICE STATION,
NAGAPATTINAM.

5 THE OFFICER INCHARGE,
DISTRICT PRISON, NAGAPATTINAM

CC to M/S.M.K.SUBRAMANIAN Advocate on payment of necessary charges

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