

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated : 07.01.2021

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE V. BHARATHIDASAN

CrI.O.P.No.19646 of 2020

1.A.Subramaniyan

2.A.Pugazhvannan

... Petitioners

Vs.

State Rep. by The Inspector of Police,
Neyveli Thermal Police Station,
Cuddalore District.
(Crime No.623 of 2020)

.... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 438 of Criminal Procedure Code to enlarge Bail to the petitioners in the event of their arrest in Crime No.623 of 2020 pending investigation on the file of the respondent.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Selvam

For Respondent : Mr.S.Karthikeyan
Addl. Public Prosecutor

O R D E R

(The case has been heard through video conference)

The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 147, 148, 341, 323 and 392 of IPC altered into 147, 148, 341, 352 and 392 of IPC, in Crime No.623 of 2020, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioners along with other accused waylaid the defacto complainant, threatened him and robbed cash and also took his bike. Hence, the complaint was registered.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that a false case has been foisted against the petitioner and they have been nothing to do with the alleged offence, as a result of which false case has been foisted against the petitioners. He would further submit that co-accused has already been released on bail and he would further submit that the 1st petitioner has been detained under Act 14 of 1982. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that the petitioners waylaid the defacto complainant, threatened him and also borrowed some money and the co-accused has already been released on bail. Hence, he opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

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

6. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy is made ready, before the learned District Munsif cum Judicial Magistrate Court, Neyveli, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a separate 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, failing which, the petition for anticipatory bail shall stand dismissed and on further condition that:

[a] the petitioners 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 petitioners 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 petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[d] the petitioners 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 petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners 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].

[f] If the accused thereafter abscond, 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 MUNSIF CUM
JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE COURT, NEYVELI.

2 THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE
CUDDALORE [FOR INFORMATION]

3 THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

4 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
NEYVELI THERMAL POLICE STATION,
CUDDALORE DISTRICT.

+1 CC to M/S.M.SELVAM Advocate on payment of necessary charges
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