



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

Date : 06/05/2021

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mrs.Justice S.ANANTHI

CRL OP(MD) . No.6481 of 2021

1.Ganesan
2.Nageshwari

... Petitioners/Accused 3 & 4

Vs

State rep.by,
The Inspector of Police,
Devakottai Town Police Station,
Sivagangai District.
Crime No.96 of 2021.

... Respondent/Complainant

For PetitionerS : Mr.A.Arputharaj,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.A.Robinson,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.438 of Cr.P.C

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime no. 96 of 2021 on the file of the respondent police

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners/A3 and A4, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 323, 324, 452, 427, 506(ii), 307 and 109 I.P.C in Crime No.96 of 2021 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) for the respondent police.

3.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioners herein and their son along with other accused entered into the defacto complainant's studio centre with weapon and attacked the defacto complainant and also damaged the personal properties. Hence, the complaint.



4.The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocents and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and the petitioners have been falsely implicated in the present case and hence, they seek anticipatory bail.

5.The learned Government Advocate (criminal side), on instructions, submitted that due to the attack, the petitioners caused damage to the studio centre worth about Rs.2,00,000/-. He would further submit that there is no previous case pending against the petitioners.

6.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the fact that the first petitioner is aged about 60 years and the second petitioner is aged about 53 years, the fact that no previous case is pending against the petitioners and also the fact that except Sections 307 and 506 (ii) of IPC, other offences are bailable offences, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

7.Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or their appearance, within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate Court, Devakottai, Sivagangai District and on their executing a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) each with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further conditions 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 cards or Bank pass Books to ensure their identity;

(b)the petitioners are directed to deposit a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) each to the credit of Secretariat Branch, Chennai-9 (Indian Overseas Bank, Account No.11720 10000 00070, IFSC Code: IOBA0001172), within a period of two weeks without prejudice to their rights and contentions before the trial Court;

(c)the petitioners shall report before the respondent police on every Monday at 10.30 a.m., until further orders;

(d)the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(e)the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

(f)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**

55601; and



(g) if the accused/petitioners thereafter abscond, 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, DEVAKOTTAI,
SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT.
2. DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT
3. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
DEVAKOTTAI TOWN POLICE STATION,
SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT.
4. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

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