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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 30/06/2021

PRESENT

The Hon'ble Mr.Justice G.CHANDRASEKHARAN

CRL OP(MD) . No.8406 of 2021

Selva Rasu

... Petitioner/Accused

Rank not known

Vs

The State Rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Paramakudi Taluk Police Station,
Ramanathapuram District.
Crime No. 61 of 2021.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.Jeyakarthik M.S.,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.M.Muthumanikkam,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.61 of 2021 on the file of the Respondent Police.

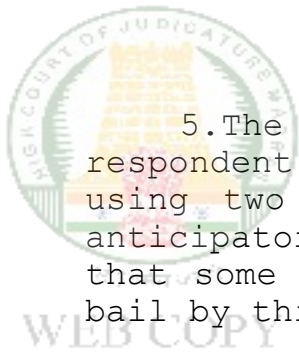
ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offences punishable under Sections 379 IPC r/w 21(1) of Mines and Minerals (Development & Regulation Act), 1957, in Crime No.61 of 2021, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl.side)for the respondent police.

3.The case of the prosecution is that on 28.02.2021 the petitioner along with other accused illegally dig the sand by using JCB. Hence, the complaint.

4.The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is an innocent and a false case has been foisted against him. He further submitted that co-accused has been granted anticipatory bail by this Court.



5. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent would submit that the petitioner attempted to dig sand by using two JCB vehicles and hence, he strongly opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner. However, he fairly conceded that some of the co-accused in this case were granted anticipatory bail by this Court.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and the fact that the co-accused have been granted anticipatory bail by this Court, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with conditions.

7. 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, Paramakudi, 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 Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity;

[b] the petitioner shall report before 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]**;

[f] If the accused thereafter abscond, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

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TO

1. THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, PARAMAKUDI.
 2. DO-THROUGH : THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT.
 3. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
PARAMAKUDI TALUK POLICE STATION,
RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT.
 4. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.
- +1 CC to Mr.M.S.JEYAKARTHIK, Advocate (SR-4269[I] dated 01/07/2021)

ORDER
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