



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

Date : 20/09/2021

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice B.PUGALENDHI
CRL OP(MD) . No.13903 of 2021

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... Petitioner / Sole Accused

Vs

The State Rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Ammapettai Police Station
Thanjavur District
Cr.No.862 of 2021.

... Respondent / Complainant

For Petitioner : M/s.Karunakaran KM,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.T.Senthilkumar ,
Additional Public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Sec.439 of Cr.P.C

PRAYER :-

For Bail in Crime No.862 of 2021 on the file of the Respondent police.

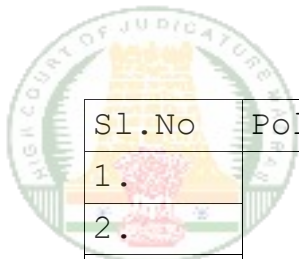
ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/sole accused who was arrested on 28.08.2021 by the respondent police for the alleged offence punishable under Sections 4(1)(a), 4(1)(i) and 4(1-A) of Tamil Nadu Prohibition Act, in Crime No.862 of 2021, seeks bail.

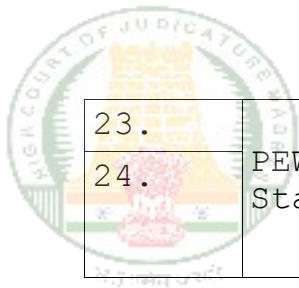
2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner was found in illegal possession of 18 numbers of 180 ml TASMAL brandy bottles. Hence, the complaint.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is an innocent and she has not committed any offence as alleged by the petitioner. He would further submit that the petitioner is inside the prison from 28.08.2021 and hence, he prays for grant of bail.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent would submit that the investigation is yet to be completed. He would further submit that the petitioner is having 24 previous cases of similar in nature, which reads as follows:



Sl.No	Police Station	Crime Nos.
1.	Ammapettai Police Station	Crime No.43 of 2021 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-NTF
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3.		Crime No.1334 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-NTF
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5.		Crime No.1220 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-NTF
6.		Crime No.1157 of 2021 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-NTF
		Crime No.1042 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-NTF
		Crime No.20 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-NTF
7.	PEW Police Station	Crime No.955 of 2021 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
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9.		Crime No.890 of 2021 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
10.		Crime No.229 of 2021 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
		Crime No.200 of 2021 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
11.	PEW Police Station	Crime No.114 of 2021 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
12.		
13.		Crime No.15 of 2021 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
14.		
15.		Crime No.1172 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
16.		
17.		Crime No.1080 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
18.		
19.		Crime No.980 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
20.		Crime No.952 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
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		Crime No.554 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
		Crime No.453 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI
		Crime No.327 of 2020 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-UI



23.	PEW Police Station	Crime No.1012 of 2019 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-NTF
24.		Crime No.976 of 2019 for the offence under Section 4(1)(a) TNP Act-NTF

5. Considering the antecedents of the petitioner, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed.

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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 INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
AMMAPETTAI POLICE STATION,
THANJAVUR DISTRICT.
2. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

ORDER IN
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