



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 20/10/2021

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PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice B.PUGALENDHI

CRL OP(MD). No.14595 of 2021

Periyannakumar,

... Petitioner/Accused No.4

Vs

State rep by
The Inspector of Police,
Avaniyapuram Police Station,
Madurai City.
(Crime No.403 of 2021)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Ranjithraja,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.T.Senthil Kumar,
Additional Public Prosecutor

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.403 of 2021 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/Accused No.4, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offences punishable under Sections 8(c) r/w 20(b)(ii)(B) and 29(1) of NDPS Act, 1985 in Crime No.403 of 2021, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner and other accused were found in illegal possession of 10Kgs of Ganja. Therefore, the present case came to be registered against the petitioner.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has been arrayed as accused based on the confession of the co-accused and no contraband has been recovered



from the petitioner. He further submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has been falsely implicated in this case.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent police would submit that after getting interim order from this Court, the petitioner did not appear before the respondent police for enquiry. He would further submit that apart from this case, the petitioner has involved in the following crimes:-

S. No.	Name of the Police Station	Crime No	Section	Stage of the case
1.	Podhanur Police Station, Coimbatore	874 of 2017	109 and 41(2) of Cr.P.C	Disposed
2.	OOMachikulam Police Station, Madurai	52 of 2019	3-IES Act, 147, 148, 302, 341 of IPC, 4 of TNPPDL Act @ 4(a) of IES Act, 120B, 148, 149, 302 of IPC and 3(3) of TNPPDL Act	PT
3.	Anna Nagar Police Station, Madurai	72 of 2017	229A of IPC	NTF
4.	Avaniyapuram Police Station, Madurai	1608 of 2018	14A, 4(1-A), 4(1)(aaa), 4(1)(i) of TNP Act	UI
5.	Avaniyapuram Police Station, Madurai	855 of 2016	392, 397, 506(2) of IPC	Disposed
6.	Keeraithurai Police Station Madurai	605 of 2017	75 of TNCP Act	Disposed
7.	Keeraithurai Police Station Madurai	554 of 2016	392, 397 and 506(2) of IPC	Disposed
8.	PEW Police Station, Madurai city	1050 of 2020	4(1-A), 4(1)(aaa)-TNP Act	UI
9.	Theppakulam Police Station, Madurai	652 of 2019	20(b)(ii)(c), 25, 29(1), 8(c) of NDPS Act	PT
10.	Theppakulam Police Station, Madurai	1417 of 2016	294(b0, 323, 324, 506(2) of IPC	UI



4.Considering the nature of the offence and also considering the bad antecedents of the petitioner, this Court is not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

5.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,
Avaniyapuram Police Station,
Madurai City.
2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

ORDER IN
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