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

Date : 27/10/2021

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice B.PUGALENDHI

CRL OP(MD). No.16463 of 2021

Marimuthu,
S/o.Muthiah

... Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs

State Rep by
The Sub Inspector of Police,
Pudur Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
Cr.No.93/2021.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : M/s.Mohan Gandhi S.M,
Advocate.
For Respondent : Mr.R.Meenakshi Sundaram,
Additional Public Prosecutor

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory bail in Crime.No. 93 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 294(b) and 506(ii) of IPC in Crime No.93 of 2021, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that on 18.04.2021, when the defacto complainant was standing near Raj Tea Stall at Muthusampuram Main Road, the petitioner abused the public in filthy language and when the same was questioned by the defacto complainant, the petitioner made criminal intimidation against the defacto complainant. Therefore, the present case came to be



3.The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that it is a case of case in counter.

4.The learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) appearing for the respondent police submitted that no one has been injured in the occurrence.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the nature of allegation levelled against the petitioner, and also the fact that no one has been injured, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6.Accordingly, this criminal original petition is allowed and 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, Vilathikulam, Thoothukudi District, on condition that the petitioner shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five thousand only) with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further conditions 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 Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

[b]the petitioner shall report before the respondent police once in a week i.e.,every Monday at 10.30 a.m., until further orders.

[c]the petitioner shall not tamper with the 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 absconds, 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, Vilathikulam, Thoothukudi District.
2. Do Through The Chief Judicial Magistrate, Thoothukudi.
3. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Pudur Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
4. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

+1 CC to M/s.S.M.MOHAN GANDHI, Advocate (SR-7487[I] dated 27/10/2021)

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