



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 28/10/2021

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The Hon`ble Mr.Justice B.PUGALENDHI

CRL OP (MD) . No.16575 of 2021

Ponselvan

... Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs

The State Rep.by,
The Inspector of Police,
Nazareth Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
Cr.No.209/2021.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : M/s. Selvanayagam.D.,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.P.Kottai Chamy,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory bail in Crime.No.209 of 2021 on the file of the
Respondent Police

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

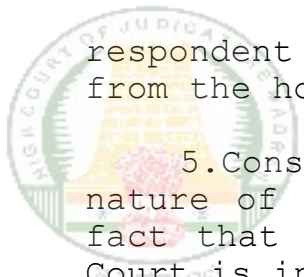
The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the
respondent police for the alleged offence punishable under Sections
294(b), 323 324 & 506(i) of IPC in Crime No.209 of 2021, seeks
anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that due to civil dispute,
the petitioner abused the defacto complainant in filthy language and
attacked him with wooden log. Hence the complaint.

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

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4. The learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) appearing for the



respondent police submitted that the injured has been discharged from the hospital.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the nature of allegations levelled against the petitioner and also the fact that the injured has been discharged from the hospital, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

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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, Sathankulam, 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 respondent police as and when required.

[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,
SATHANKULAM,
THOOTHUKUDI.
2. DO THROUGH
THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
THOOTHUKUDI.
3. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
NAZARETH POLICE STATION,
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT.
4. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

ORDER
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