



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)
Date : 26/11/2021
PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice K.MURALI SHANKAR
CRL OP(MD) . No.18607 of 2021

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1. Kalidoss
2. Karuppaiah ... Petitioners/Accused Rank not known

Vs

The state represented by
The Inspector of Police,
Nagudi Police Station,
Pudukkottai District.
(Cr.No. 361 of 2021). ... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : M/s.Lenin Kumar.T,
Advocate.
For Respondent : Mr.S.Manikandan,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No. 361 of 2021 on the file of
the respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners/Rank not known, who apprehend arrest at the hands
of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Section
379 of IPC r/w 21(1) and 21(2) of Mines and Mineral (Development
and Regulation) Act, 1957, in Crime No.361 of 2021 on the file of
the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioners have
illegally transported 1/2 unit of river sand by using two Bullock
Cards. Hence, the complaint.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the
petitioners are innocent and they have been falsely implicated in
this case. However, he would further submit that the petitioners
without prejudice to their right, are ready to deposit the amount
that may be imposed by this Court.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the
respondent police would submit that no previous case is pending
against the petitioners herein.



5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also the fact that no previous case is pending against the petitioners, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

6.Accordingly, the petitioners shall pay a sum of Rs.5,000/- (Rupees Five Thousand only) each to the credit of the District Mineral Foundation Trust, Pudukottai District, without prejudice to his rights and contentions before the trial Court and produce the receipt/acknowledgment before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Aranthangi.

7.On production of such receipt/acknowledgment, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Aranthangi, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand only) each with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further conditions that:

[a]the petitioners 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 petitioners shall report before respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m, for a period of one month and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.

[c]the petitioners shall not tamper with the evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[d]the petitioners 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 petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners 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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1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE ARANTHANGI.

2 DO-THROUGH :
THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
PUDUKOTTAI DISTRICT.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
NAGUDI POLICE STATION,
PUDUKKOTTAI DISTRICT.

4 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

COPY TO:

THE OFFICER INCHARGE,
DISTRICT MINERAL FOUNDATION TRUST,
PUDUKKOTTAI DISTRICT.

ORDER
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