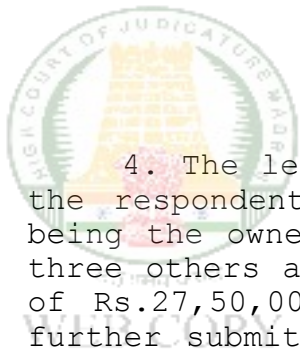




4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent Police raised objection stating that the petitioner being the owner of the house represented the defacto complainant and three others and said that the house is for lease and received a sum of Rs.27,50,000/- and later refused to return the same. He would further submit that if this type of petitions are released on bail, they would try to tamper the witnesses and hamper the investigation.

5. Submissions made by the learned counsels on either sides are considered.

6. The respondent police registered a case against the petitioner for the offence punishable under Sections 406 and 420 of IPC. Admittedly, the amount which was alleged to be received from Mohan, Sayina Begum, Sathyavani and Selvi is not recovered. In the absence of custodial interrogation, it may not be possible for the respondent Police to recover those amount. Therefore, it is a case for completing investigation custodial interrogation is necessary.

7. For the reasons stated above, this Court is not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed.

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15/02/2022

This order, on being produced, be punctually observed and carried into execution by all concerned

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TO

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K-7 POLICE STATION, ICF CHENNAI 38.

2 THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

CC to M/S. T.K.S.GANDHI Advocate on payment of necessary charges

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Date :15/02/2022

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