



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Monday, the Twenty Fifth day of April Two Thousand Twenty Two

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Dr Justice G. JAYACHANDRAN

CRIMINAL ORIGINAL PETITION No.9274 of 2022

N.GOPALAKANNAN

[PETITIONER / ACCUSED]

Vs

STATE REP BY
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
ALL WOMEN POLICE STATION,
VILLIVAKKAM,
CHENNAI
CRIME NO.1 OF 2022

[RESPONDENT]

For Petitioner : M/S.U.GOWRISHANKAR Advocate

For Respondent : M/S.S.SANTHOSH, Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side)

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

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioner herein apprehending arrest by the respondent police for the offence under Sections 498-A, 294(b), 501, 506(1) & 109 of IPC in Crime No.1 of 2022 seeks anticipatory bail.

2.Considering the fact that it is matrimonial dispute between the defacto complainant and the petitioner which has lead to filing this present criminal complaint that the morphing of the defacto complainant's picture and publishing in the social media.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner has already initiated divorce proceedings before the Sub Court, Ponneri and the same was pending and for the counter blast the present complaint has been filed against the petitioner and her husband .



4. Considering the submissions, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

5. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on anticipatory bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of seven days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned VI Metropolitan Magistrate, Egmore, on condition that the petitioner shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only), with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further conditions that:

(a) if the petitioner failed to surrender before the concerned Magistrate within a period of 7 days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, this order shall stand automatically cancelled;

(b) the petitioner and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Court concerned may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity;

(c) the petitioner shall report before respondent police as and when required for investigation;

(d) the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(e) the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

(f) 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 is 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]; and

(g) if the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

-sd/-

25/04/2022

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

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High Court, Madras - 600 104.



TO

1 THE METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE,
NO.VI, EGMORE, CHENNAI.

2 THE CHIEF METROPOLITAN
MAGISTRATE, EGMORE, CHENNAI. [FOR INFORMATION]

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
ALL WOMEN POLICE STATION,
VILLIVAKKAM, CHENNAI.

4 THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

+1 CC to M/S.U.GOWRISHANKAR Advocate on payment of necessary
charges SR.NO. 6240

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Date :25/04/2022

RW 29/04/2022