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A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA, J.

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 05.11.2022, for the offences punishable under Sections 4(1)(A) & 4(1)(a) of Tamil Nadu Prohibition Act, in Crime No.572 of 2022 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 05.11.2022, when the respondent police and his team were on routine patrol duty, they found that the petitioner was in illegal possession of 20 litres of ID arrack without any valid licence. Hence the case.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He would also submit that the petitioner is in custody from 05.11.2022 and he is ready to abide by any stringent



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conditions that may be imposed on him and hence, he prays for grant of bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent would submit that the petitioner was found in illegal possession of 20 litres of ID arrack without any valid licence. He would further submit that 9 previous cases are pending as against the petitioner. Therefore, he vehemently oppose for grant of bail to the petitioner.

5. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) for the respondent Police and perused the materials available on record.

6. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case and the submission made by the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) and also considering the fact that 9 previous cases are pending as against the petitioner, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner for the present.



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7. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition stands dismissed for the present.

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