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G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN, J.

The petitioners, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 323, 324, 506(i) of IPC r/w Section 4 of Tamilnadu Prohibition of Harassment of Woman Act, 2002 in Crime No.339 of 2022, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution as per the defacto complainant is there was a civil dispute pending between the petitioners and the defacto complainant's family. While being so, the petitioners were dropped jally stones on the defacto complainant's land and when the same was removed by the defacto complainant, dispute arose between them and the petitioners along with other accused have assaulted the defacto complainant with iron rod and threatened her in a filthy language. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocent person and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. Hence, he prays to grant anticipatory bail



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to the petitioners.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the respondent police would submit that the petitioners attacked the defacto complainant and caused injuries. Hence, he vehemently opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

5. Considering the above fact and circumstances of the case, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

6. Accordingly, 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 on which the order copy made ready, before the learned Judicial Magistrate I, Thiruppathur, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a separate bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the respondent police or the police officer who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned, failing which, the petition for anticipatory bail shall stand dismissed and on further condition that:



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[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 Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity.

[b] the 3rd petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30.am for a period of two weeks and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.

[c] the petitioners shall not tamper with 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 229A IPC.

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