



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 07/01/2022

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mrs.Justice R.THARANI

CRL OP(MD). No.266 of 2022

Ranjith

... Petitioner/Accused No.1

Vs

State Rep.by
The Inspector of Police,
Kallaperumbur Police Station,
Thanjavur District.
(Crime No.205/2021).

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.C.Senthil Murugan,
Advocate.
For Respondent : Mr.RMS.Sethurman,
Additional Public Prosecutor

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.205 of 2021 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/Accused, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Section 379 IPC r/w 21(1) of Mines and Minerals (Development & Regulations) Act, 1957, in Crime No.205 of 2021, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the accused persons had illegally transported 1 ½ units of river sand without any valid permit in a Force Tack Van. Hence, the complaint.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is innocent and he is no way connected with the offence. Hence, prays to release him on anticipatory bail.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent would submit that the petitioner is the owner of the vehicle and used to transport river sand and he is having three



previous cases, all are similar in nature and that the investigation is not yet completed.

5. In view of the submissions made by both parties, considering the bad antecedents of the petitioner, as he is having three previous cases, which are similar in nature, this Court is not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed.

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

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TO

1. The Inspector of Police,
Kallaperumbur Police Station,
Thanjavur District.
2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

ORDER

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