



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)
Date : 10.02.2022

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice K.MURALI SHANKAR

CRL OP(MD). No.1453 of 2022

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K.Muthaiah

... Petitioner/Accused No.1

Vs

The State Rep. By,
The Inspector of Police,
Samayanallur Town Police Station,
Madurai District.
(Crime No.682 of 2020).

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Thalaimutharasu,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar
Additional Public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Section 439 of Cr.P.C.

PRAYER :-

For Bail in Crime No.682 of 2020 on the file of the Respondent police.

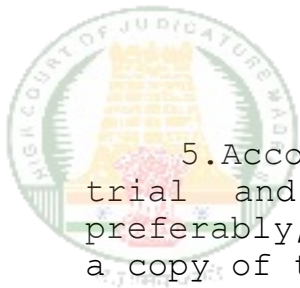
ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/A.1, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 23.05.2021 for the offences punishable under Sections 8 (c) r/w 20(b)(ii)(C) and 29(1) of NDPS Act, in Crime No.682 of 2020, on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner and other accused were found in illegal possession of 25 kgs of Ganja. Hence, the complaint.

3.When the matter is taken up for hearing today, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor would submit that the learned trial Judge has completed the examination of all the witnesses except the Investigating Officer and the case stands posted for examination of the Investigating Officer.

4.Since the trial is at the fag end, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this point of time. However, this Court is of the view that the trial Court may be directed to complete the trial within a time frame fixed by this Court.



5. Accordingly, the learned Judge is directed to complete the trial and dispose of the case as expeditiously as possible preferably, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the above direction, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

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

Note : In view of the present lock down owing to COVID-19 pandemic, a web copy of the order may be utilized for official purposes, but, ensuring that the copy of the order that is presented is the correct copy, shall be the responsibility of the advocate/litigant concerned.

TO

1. THE ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGE,
SPECIAL COURT FOR EC AND NDPS ACT CASES,
MADURAI.
2. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
SAMAYANALLUR POLICE STATION,
MADURAI DISTRICT.
3. THE SUPERINTENDENT,
CENTRAL PRISON, MADURAI.
4. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

ORDER
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