



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

Date : 11.04.2022

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice K.MURALI SHANKAR

CRL OP(MD) . No.6727 of 2022

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1. Jayan
2. Vinoth

... Petitioner/A3 & A4

Vs

State rep. by
The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Arugani Police Station,
Kanyakumari District.
(Crime No.8 of 2022)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners: Mr.N.S.Ramakrishna Dass,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.R.Sivakumar,
Government Advocate (Crl. Side).

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.8 of 2022 on the file of the Respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners/A.3 & A.4, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offence punishable under Section 379 IPC, in Crime No.8 of 2022 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner along with other accused had stolen the 26 bags of cement from the defacto complainant. Hence, the complaint.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocent and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police would submit that the petitioners are not having any previous cases.

5.Considering the nature of the charges levelled against the petitioners and also the fact that the petitioners are not having



any previous cases for similar offence or property offence, 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 of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.1, Kuzhithurai, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of **Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand only)** each with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further conditions that:

[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 Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

[b] the petitioners are directed to deposit a sum of **Rs.5,000/- (Rupees Five Thousand Only)** each to the credit of Crime No.8 of 2022 on the file of the respondent police before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.1, Kuzhithurai, within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

[c] the petitioners shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., for a period of one month and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.

[d] the petitioners shall not tamper with the evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[e] the petitioners 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 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]**.

[g] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

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



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- 1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE NO.I,
KUZHITHURAI.
 - 2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT AT NAGERCOIL.
 - 3 THE SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE
ARUGANI POLICE STATION,
KANYAKUMARI DISTRICT.
 - 4 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

+1 CC to M/s.N.S.RAMAKRISHNA DASS, Advocate (SR-3231[I] dated 11/04/2022)

ORDER
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