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

Date : 19/07/2022

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice G.ILANGO VAN

CRL OP(MD) . No.11981 of 2022

P.Ponprabhakar

... Petitioner/Accused No.2

Vs.

State rep.by
The Inspector of Police,
Ambasamuthram Taluk,
Tirunelveli District.
(Crime No.180 of 2022).

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : M/s.Kumar.S, Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.P.Kottai Chamy,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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

PRAYER :-

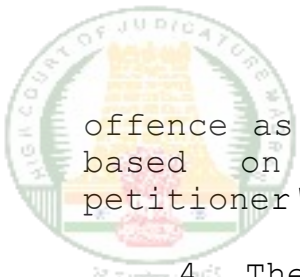
For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.180 of 2022 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 24(1), 6(b) of Cigarette and other Tobacco Products Act 2003 and Section 77 of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015, in Crime No.180 of 2022, on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner was found in illegal possession of banned Tobacco products. Hence, the complaint.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the petitioner is an innocent persons and he has not committed any



offence as alleged by the prosecution. He would further submit that based on the confession statement of the co-accused, the petitioner's name was impleaded as second accused in this case.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) appearing for the respondent police submitted that two previous cases are pending against this petitioner and some of the cases are disposed of.

5. Considering the facts and the circumstance of this case and considering the antecedents of the petitioner, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed.

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

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TO

1. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
AMBASAMUTHRAM TALUK,
TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT.
2. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

ORDER
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