



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

Date : 10/11/2022

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice A.A.NAKKIRAN

CRL OP(MD). No.12370 of 2022

Siva Ananthi Murugan

... Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs

The State represented by
The Inspector of Police,
District Crime Branch,
Tirunelveli
Rural, Tirunelveli,
Tirunelveli District.
Cr.No.5 of 2022.

... Respondent/Complainant

Jeyalakshmi

... Petitioner/Intervenor/
Defacto Complainant
in CRL MP(MD) No.7934 of 2022

For Petitioner : M/s.Chandrasekaran T,
Advocate.
For Respondent : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar,
Additional Public Prosecutor
For Intervenor : Mr.K.Sivabalan

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.5 of 2022 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/Sole Accused, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 408, 465, 468, 471 and 420 IPC, in Cr.No.5 of 2022, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the de-facto complainant is the owner of the petrol bunk and the petitioner was working as an Accountant in the said petrol bunk. The allegation against the petitioner is that he has swindled a sum of Rs.27,65, 525/- from the defacto complainant's petrol bunk. Hence, the complaint.



3.The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit the petitioner is innocent and he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. Hence, he prays for anticipatory bail.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor would submit that the petitioner has swindled a sum of Rs.27,65, 525/- from the defacto complainant's petrol bunk and the amount was not yet recovered and the investigation is still pending. Hence, he prayed for dismissal of this petition.

5.The learned counsel for the intervenor vehemently opposed for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

5.Considering the gravity and nature of the offence and also considering the amount involved in this case is very huge and also the fact that the investigation is still pending, 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.

TO

- 1 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
DISTRICT CRIME BRANCH, TIRUNELVLEI RURAL,
TIRUNELVELI, TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT.
- 2 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

ORDER

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