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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)
Date : 22/11/2022
PRESENT

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

CRL OP(MD) . No.20666 of 2022

1. Muniyandi,
2. Siva,
3. Mayakannan @ Karthik,
4. Alagurani, ... Petitioners/Accused No.1 to 4

Vs

The State rep.by
The Inspector of Police,
Sempatti Police Station,
Dindigul District.
(In Crime No.365/2022).

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners: M/s.JINNAH S M A,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.M.VAIKKAM KARUNANITHI,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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

PRAYER :- For Anticipatory Bail in Cr No.365/2022 on the file of the respondent police.

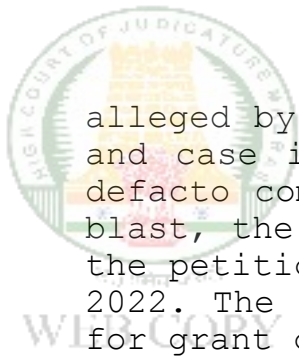
ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners/1 to 4, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 323, 324, 427, 448 & 506(1) IPC, in Crime No.365 of 2022, seek anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that due to previous enmity, on 06.11.2022, at about 07.00 p.m, the petitioners said to have trespassed into the house of the defacto complainant and abused her in filthy language and attacked her. Hence the complaint.

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

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alleged by the prosecution. He would further submit that it is a counter case and case in counter. Counter case has been registered against the defacto complainant's husband in Crime No.344 of 2022. As a counter blast, the defacto complainant's daughter lodged a complaint against the petitioners 1, 3 and case has been registered in Crime No.345 of 2022. The injured was discharged from the hospital. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) would submit that the injured was discharged from the hospital and 6 witnesses have been examined. However, the investigation is not yet completed, he strongly opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the facts that the injured was already discharged from the hospital and and 6 witnesses have been examined, 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 their arrest or their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned District Munsif-Cum-Judicial Magistrate, Aathoor, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/-(Rupees Ten Thousand only)each with two sureties, each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the respondent Police or to the Police Officer, who intends to arrest or 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 Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity;

(b)the petitioners shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 am until further orders.

(c)the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(d)the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

(e)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]**; and;



(f) if the accused thereafter abscond, 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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TO

- 1 THE DISTRICT MUNSIF CUM JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
AATHOOR.
- 2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
DINDIGUL DISTRICT.
- 3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
SEMPATTI POLICE STATION,
DINDIGUL DISTRICT.
- 4 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

ORDER

IN

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