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A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA, J.

The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections **448, 352, 294(b), 312, 323 and 506(1) of IPC** in Crime No.30 of 2023 , seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution as per the defacto complainant is that the petitioner and other accused persons have abused and assaulted the defacto complainant, due to which her belly was crushed and she was admitted in the hospital and gave birth to a premature girl baby, subsequently baby died. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocent persons and they have been falsely roped in this case since they happen to be friends of the main accused. He would submit that main accused/A1 who is said to have assaulted the victim has been arrested and enlarged on bail by this Court in Crl.O.P.No.6136 of



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2023 dated 21.03.2023. He would further submit that a complaint has been given only on account of a property dispute existing between the parties. Hence, he prays to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4. The learned Government Advocate(Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent would submit that due to family dispute, A1 came with other accused, kicked on the stomach of the defacto complainant, due to which, the defacto complainant gave birth to a premature girl baby, subsequently baby died. Hence, he opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

5.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners as well as the learned Government Advocate(Crl.Side) for the respondent and perused the entire materials available on record.

6.Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case and that submissions made by the learned counsel, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.



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7. 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 on which the order copy made ready, before the **learned Metropolitan Magistrate-XV, George Town, Chennai**, on condition that each of the petitioners shall execute a separate bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the respondent police or the police officer who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned, failing which, the petition for anticipatory bail shall stand dismissed and on further condition 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 everyday at 10.30 a.m., for a period of two weeks and thereafter, every Saturday at 10.30 a.m., until further orders.



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[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]**.

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

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