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Crl.O.P.No. 24487 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 20.10.2023

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE C.V.KARTHIKEYAN

Crl.O.P.No.24487 of 2023

Vasanthakumar

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State rep. by:-
The Inspector of Police,
Cyber Crime Police Station,
Tiruvannamalai,
Tiruvannamalai District
(Crime No. 31 of 2023)

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 439 of Cr.P.C.,
pleased to enlarge the petitioner / Accused on bail pending investigation in
Crime No.31 of 2023 on the file of the respondent.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Silambuselvan

For Respondent : Mr.R.Kishore Kumar
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)



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ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 22.08.2023 for the offence punishable under Sections 354(b), 506(ii), 509 of IPC r/w Section 66(E) of IT (Amendment Act) 2008 in Crime No.31 of 2023 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2.It is stated that the petitioner had in possession of photographs of the deceased which he threatened to upload.

3.It is stated by the respondent that the mobile phone had been seized and the photographs have not actually been uploaded.

4.In view of that particular fact and considering the period of incarceration, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

5. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on condition to execute a 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 learned Judicial Magistrate No.II, Tiruvannamalai and on further conditions that:

[a] 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



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ensure their identity.

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police on everyday at 10.30 a.m., until further orders;

[c] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

[d] the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness 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 petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner 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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To

1. The Judicial Magistrate No.II, Tiruvannamalai.
- 2.The Central Prison, Vellore.



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3. The Inspector of Police,
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Tiruvannamalai.
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.

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