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The petitioner who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Section 4(1)(a), 4(1-A)(ii) of TNP Act in Crime No.609 of 2023, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.It is stated that the petitioner was found in possession of 10 litres of ID arrack and 52 packets of 90 ml of liquor. The petitioner however, ran away from the place. It is also stated that there are four previous cases against the petitioner.

3.Taking all these factors into consideration, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner, but however, **directing the petitioner to deposit an amount of Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand only) as non refundable deposit to the credit of Crime No.609 of 2023 before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.I, Tirupattur. The said amount may be handed over by the leanred Judicial Magistrate No.I, Tirupattur to the Chief Medical Officer, Government General Hospital, Tirupattur, for treating the needy patients.**



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[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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