



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

Friday, the Sixth day of January Two Thousand and Twenty Three

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA

CRL OP(MD) No.310 of 2023

MAHENDRAN

... PETITIONER / ACCUSED

Vs

State Rep by
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
VATHALAGUNDU POLICE STATION, VATHALAGUNDU,
NILAKOTTAI TALUK, DINDIGUL DISTRICT

... RESPONDENT / COMPLAINANT

For Petitioner : M/S.KANNAN K.K. Advocate

For Respondent : MR.ALBERT JAMES, Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side)

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

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 420 and 506(i) IPC in Crime No.Not known of 2023, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.Today, when the matter is taken up for hearing, the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent Police submitted that petition enquiry against the petitioner is pending.

3.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) for the respondent.

4.Considering the facts and circumstances, the respondent police has to issue notice under Section 41(A) of Cr.P.C to the petitioner and the petitioner is directed to appear before the respondent police and the Investigating Officer has to conduct the enquiry by strictly following the procedures therein and if any *prima facie* case is made out against the petitioner, register the F.I.R or close the petition enquiry within a period of two weeks from today. The parties are directed to cooperate with the enquiry. It is needless to say that the respondent police shall not take any coercive steps to secure the accused till the completion of enquiry



on the complaint lodged by the de-facto complainant.

5. With the above directions, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

TO

1 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
VATHALAGUNDU POLICE STATION, VATHALAGUNDU,
NILAKOTTAI TALUK, DINDIGUL DISTRICT

2. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

ORDER

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