



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)
Date : 12/04/2023
PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

CRL OP(MD) . No.6746 of 2023

Selvam

... Petitioner/Accused 7

Vs

The State rep.by
The Inspector of Police,
CS CID Police,
Tuticorin District,
Tuticorin.
(Crime No.31/2023).

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Malaiyendran,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.R.M.Anbunithi,
Additional Public Prosecutor

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

PRAYER :- For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.31/2023 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/A7, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent Police for the offences punishable under Sections 5(4) of Tamil Nadu Scheduled Commodities (MDCS) Order 1982 and section 7(1)(a)(35) of E.C. Act, 1955 in Crime No. 31 of 2023 on the file of the respondent Police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner was found in illegal possession of 2000kgs of PDS rice, hence the case.

3. Heard both side and perused the materials available on record including the First Information Report.

4. It is seen that there are totally seven accused in this case and the petitioner herein is arrayed as A7. The petitioner is the salesman in the ration shop. A1 and A2 had purchased the PDS rice only from this petitioner. Therefore the petitioner has



committed very serious offence and as such custodial interference of the petitioner is very much required in this case, hence this court is not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

5. In the result, the petition stands dismissed.

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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 INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
CS CID POLICE,
TUTICORIN DISTRICT,
TUTICORIN.
- 2 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

ORDER

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