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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 26/04/2023

PRESENT

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

CRL OP(MD) . No.7865 of 2023

Suresh

... Petitioner/Accused No.5

Vs

The State rep.by,
The Inspector of Police,
Natchiarpuram Police Station,
Sivagangai District.
Crime No. 82/2022.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : M/s.Pugalendhi S,
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.82/2022 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/A5 who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under sections 272,273,328 of IPC and 24(1) of Cigarette and other Tobacco Products Act, 2003 in Crime No. 82 of 2022 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution as per the de-facto complainant is that the petitioner along with other accused were found in illegal possession of banned tobacco products worth about Rs.14 lakhs. Hence the complaint.

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



4. It is seen that the petitioner has committed very is offence. Therefore this Court has already dismissed the anticipatory bail petitions on earlier two occasions and even then the petitioner has not surrendered before the Court, hence this Court is not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

5. In view of the same, this criminal original petition stands dismissed with costs. **The Petitioner is directed to pay a sum of Rs.5,000/- (Rupees Five thousand only) as costs to the legal services authority attached to this Bench.**

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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,
NATCHIARPURAM POLICE STATION,
SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT.
- 2 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

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THE OFFICER IN CHARGE,
LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

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