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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)
Date : 24.05.2023
PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice P.VADAMALAI

CRL OP(MD) . No.9541 of 2023

1.Sankar @ Sankarraaj

2.Madhan

3.Ajay

4.Ayyaluraj

5.Krishnaveni

... Petitioners/Accused Nos.
1 to 5

Vs

State represented by
The Inspector of Police,
Nalattinuthur Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
(Crime No.94 of 2023)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners : Mr.Prabu,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.K.Sanjai Gandhi,
Government Advocate (Crl. Side).

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

PRAYER :- For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.94 of 2023 on the file of the Respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners/accused 1 to 5, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 147, 148, 294(b), 427 and 506(2) IPC, in Crime No.94 of 2023, on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that due to land dispute, on 21.05.2023, the petitioners had attacked the defacto complainant, abused him in filthy language, threatened him with dire consequences and also damaged the defacto complainant's two wheeler mirror. Hence, the complaint.



3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocent and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution.

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4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police would submit that no one has been injured in this incident. He would further submit that the first petitioner is having four previous cases and the other petitioners are not having any previous cases and that the case in counter is pending in Crime No.93 of 2023 against the defacto complainant.

5. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case and also the fact that no one has been injured in this incident, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

6. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate Court No.1, Kovilpatti, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of **Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only)** each with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further conditions that:

[a] the petitioners and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

[b] the petitioners shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., for a period of 30 days and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.

[c] the petitioners shall not tamper with the evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[d] the petitioners shall not abscond 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 petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners are 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 229-A IPC.

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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 JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE COURT NO.I,
KOVILPATTI.
- 2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT.
- 3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
NALATTINPUTHUR POLICE STATION,
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT.
- 4 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

+1. CC to Mr.M.PRABU, Advocate SR.No.7821 **(I)** Dt.25/05/2023

ORDER

IN

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