



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT  
( Criminal Jurisdiction )  
Date : 08/06/2023  
PRESENT

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

CRL OP(MD) . No.9992 of 2023

1. Muniayya,
2. Rengasamy,
3. Muthurasu,
4. Periyathambi,

... Petitioners/Accused 1 to 4

**Vs**

The State rep.by  
The Inspector of Police,  
Vattathikottai Police Station,  
Thanjavur District  
(Crime No.383 of 2023).

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners : M/s.PITCHAI MUTHU M,  
Advocate.

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

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Sec.439 of Cr.P.C.

**PRAYER :-** .For Bail in Crime No.383 of 2023 on the file of the respondent police

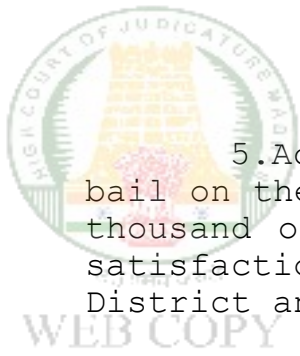
**ORDER :** The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners /A1 to A4 who were arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 28.05.2023 for the offences under sections 379 of IPC r/w.21(1) of Mines and Minerals Act, 1957 in Crime No.383 of 2023 on the file of the respondent police seek bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioners have illegally transported  $\frac{1}{4}$  unit of river sand, hence the case.

3. Heard. Perused the materials available on record including the First Information Report.

4. Taking into consideration of the facts and submissions made by the learned counsels and also the period of incarceration, this court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioners , subject to the following conditions:



5. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail on their executing 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 learned Judicial Magistrate, Pattukottai, Thanjavur District and on further conditions that :-

[a] the sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity.

[b] the petitioners shall make a non refundable deposit of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) to the credit of the Chairman/District Collector, District Mineral Foundation Trust of the concerned District, without prejudice to his defence before the trial Court and on such deposit being made, the learned Judicial Magistrate shall accept the sureties furnished by the petitioner

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

[d] the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

[e] the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[f] 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 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].

[g] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229A IPC.

sd/-  
08/06/2023

/ TRUE COPY /

08/06/2023  
Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.)  
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,  
Madurai - 625 023.

AAV  
TO

1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,  
PATTUKOTTAI, THANJAVUR DISTRICT.

<https://www.mhc.tn.gov.in/judis>



2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,  
THANJAVUR DISTRICT AT KUMBAKONAM.

3 THE OFFICER INCHARGE,  
SUB JAIL, THANJAVUR.

4 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,  
VATTATHIKOTTAI POLICE STATION,  
THANJAVUR DISTRICT

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

**COPY TO:**

THE CHAIRMAN / DISTRICT COLLECTOR,  
DISTRICT MINERAL FOUNDATION TRUST,  
THANJAVUR.

**ORDER**

**IN**

CRL OP(MD) No.9992 of 2023

Date :08/06/2023

SA/VR/SAR. /08.06.2023/3P/7C