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

Date : 09.06.2023

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN
CRL OP(MD)No.10117 of 2023

Muthukannan

... Petitioner/ Accused No.1

Vs

The State rep by
The Inspector of Police,
Veerapandi Police Station,
Theni, Theni District.
(Crime No.196 of 2023)

... Respondent/ Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.V.P.Rajan

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.196 of 2023 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/A1, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 323, 324, 506(ii) IPC and Section 4 of TNPHW Act r/w Section 109 IPC in Crime No.196 of 2023 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner is the husband of the defacto complainant and he is working in Electricity Board. A2 is also working with the petitioner herein and they had affair. Hence, the defacto complainant lodged complaint before the higher officials of the EB. Due to the same, the petitioner assaulted the defacto complainant with iron rod. Hence, the case.

3.Heard both sides and perused the materials available in the record.

4.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the fact that the injured person has already been



discharged from the hospital, this court is inclined at anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions:

5. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy made ready, before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Theni, Theni District, on condition that the petitioner shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the respondent police or the police officer who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned, failing which, the petition for anticipatory bail shall stand dismissed and on further condition that:

[a] the petitioner and 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 petitioner 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;

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

[d] the petitioner 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 petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner 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 229A 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,
Theni,
Theni District.

2. -do-Through The Chief Judicial Magistrate,
Theni District.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Veerapandi Police Station,
Theni,
Theni District.

4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

+1 CC to M/s.V.P.RAJAN, Advocate (SR-8500[I] dated 12/06/2023)

ORDER

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