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

Date : 14/06/2023

PRESENT

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

CRL OP(MD). No.10213 of 2023

M.Nagarajan ... Petitioner/Accused No.3

Vs

The State rep.by,
The Inspector of Police,
Thillai Nagar Police Station,
Trichy City.
Crime No.729/2023..

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : M/s.Saravanakumar.C,
Advocate.

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

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

PRAYER :-

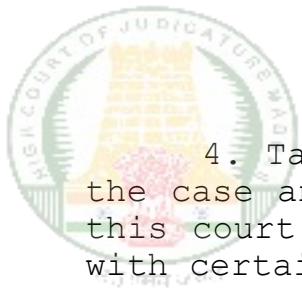
For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.729/2023 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/Accused, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under section 5 r/w. Section 7(3) of Tamilnadu Lottery Regulation Act, 1988, in Crime No. 729 of 2023 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner and other accused were having illegal possession of prohibited Kerala Lottery, without valid permission.

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



4. Taking into consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case and that there is no previous case against the petitioner, this court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions:

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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 No.IV, Trichirappalli, 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 make a non refundable deposit of Rs.25,000/-/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand only) to the credit of the Chief Justice Relief Fund, 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 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;

(d)the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(e)the petitioner shall not abscond 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 petitioner 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]; and;



(g) if the accused/petitioner 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 NO. IV, TRICHIRAPPALLI.

2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
TRICHIRAPPALLI.

3. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
THILLAI NAGAR POLICE STATION,
TRICHY CITY.

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

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THE SECTION OFFICER,
ACCOUNTS SECTION,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.
(CHIEF JUSTICE RELIEF FUND,)

+1 CC to M/s. C. SARAVANA KUMAR, Advocate (SR-8847[I] dated
15/06/2023)

ORDER
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