



CRL OP(MD)No.17671 of 2023

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date: 04.10.2023

PRESENT

The Hon`ble MR JUSTICE V.SIVAGNANAM

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... Petitioner/ Accused NO.1

Vs

The State rep.by,
The Forest Range Officer,
Varusanadu, Theni District.
(In W.L.O.R.No.2 fo 2023)

... Respondent/ Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.A.Vadivel, Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.RMS.Sethuraman
Additional Public Prosecutor

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in W.L.O.R.No.2 of 2023 on the file of the Respondent Police.



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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 Section 21(d)(e)(f) of Tamil Nadu Forest Act, 1882 and Sections 56(B), 56(C) and 56(D) of Tamil Nadu Forest Amendment Act, 1979, in W.L.O.R.No.2 of 2023 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the accused persons were found to be indulged in illegal transportation of ebony wood through their vehicle Bolero Pickup XL. Hence, the case.

3.Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent police.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor has seriously opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner on the ground that the investigation is still pending.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the cases and taking note of the submission made by the learned Additional Public Prosecutor and the nature of



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offences alleged to have been committed by the petitioner, this Court is not inclined
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to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner. Hence, this petition is dismissed.

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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 Forest Range Officer,
Varusanadu, Theni District.
- 2.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

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