



CRL OP(MD)No.19576 of 2023

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 15.11.2023

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice V. SIVAGNANAM

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1.Muneeswaran

2.Balaji

... Petitioner/ Accused No.1 & 3

Vs

The State represented by
The Inspector of Police,
Kalaiyarkovil Police Station,
Sivagangai District.
(Crime No.323 of 2023)

... Complainant/Respondent

For Petitioners : Mr.N.Mohideen Basha, Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.RMS.Sethuraman,
Additional Public Prosecutor.

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

PRAYER :-

For Bail in Crime no.323 of 2023 on the file of the Respondent Police.



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ORDER: The Court made the following order :-

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The petitioners, who were arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 22.08.2023 for the alleged offence punishable under Sections 294(b), 323, 324, 506(ii), 302 IPC in Crime No.323 of 2023, on the file of the respondent police, seek bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that on 21.08.2023, the accused persons assembled in front of the defacto complainant's hotel. When the father of the defacto complainant questioned about the same, the accused persons attacked him and also pushed him. Due to the same, the father of the defacto complainant died. Hence the case.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners would contend that the petitioners are innocent and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He would further submit that the petitioners are in custody from 22.08.2023, hence he seeks bail.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent Police would submit that investigation in this case is completed.



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5. Heard both sides and perused the materials available on record.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances and considering the period of incarceration and also taking into consideration of the principle stated by the Honourable Supreme Court in *Sanjay Chandra and others vs. CBI* reported in (2012)1 SCC 40, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioners, subject to the following conditions:

[i] Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail on condition to 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 Judicial Magistrate No.I, Sivagangai and on further conditions that:

(ii) the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate/concerned court may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank Pass Book to ensure their identity;

(iii) the petitioners shall appear before the trial Court on every Monday at 10.30 am., until further orders.



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(iv)the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness;

(v)the petitioners shall not abscond during trial.

vi) 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].

vii)If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229A IPC.

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- 1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE NO.I
SIVAGANGAI.
- 2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT.
- 3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
KALAIYARKOVIL POLICE STATION, SIVAGANGAI DISTRICT.
- 4 THE SUPERINTENDENT
CENTRAL PRISON, MADURAI.
- 5 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

+1 CC to M/s.N.MOHIDEEN BASHA, Advocate (SR-16263[I] dated 15/11/2023)

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