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WEB C **T.V.THAMILSELVI,J.**

The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for an alleged offence punishable under Sections 341, 323 and 324 IPC in Crime No.249 of 2024, seek anticipatory bail.

2. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners are innocent persons and they have been falsely implicated in this case. He further submits that they are ready to abide by any conditions that may be imposed by this Court. Hence, he prays to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

3. Learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent opposed this petition, petitioners and the defacto complainant are neighbors. Due to a land dispute, petitioners abused the defacto complainant and assaulted him and caused injury. Hence, he vehemently opposed for the grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners.



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4.Taking into consideration the facts of the case and the submissions made by the learned counsels, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

5.Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on **anticipatory bail**, in the event of arrest or on their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy made ready, before the **learned XVth Judicial Magistrate Court, George Town, Chennai**, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a separate 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 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 stands dismissed and on further condition that:

(a) petitioners are directed to deposit a sum of Rs.10,000/- jointly to the credit of Crime No.249 of 2024 before the concerned Magistrate within a period of three weeks from the date of this order and on such deposit, the de-facto complainant/victim is permitted to withdraw the same, on filing undertaking affidavit and proper identification and acknowledgment;



(b) the petitioners 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;

[c] (i) the 1st petitioner shall report before the respondent police every Saturday at 10.30 a.m., for a period of three months and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation;

(ii) the 2nd petitioner shall report before the respondent police as and when required for interrogation;

[d] the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

[e] the petitioners 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 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]**;



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

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