



Crl.O.P.No.26016 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 23.10.2024

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.DHANABAL

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Surojit Sen,

...Petitioner/Accused No.3

Vs.

State Represented by
The Inspector of Police,
Cyber Crime Division -1,
Chennai East.
Crime No.100 of 2024

...Respondent/Complainant

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of B.N.S.S. Act, 2023, praying to enlarge the petitioner on bail in Crime No.100 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : Ms.K.Dhivyashree

For Respondent : Mr.S.Vinoth Kumar
Government Advocate (Crl. Side)



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ORDER

The petitioner/A3, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 25.09.2024 for the offences under Section 318 of the BNS Act and under Section 66 D of the Information Technology Act, 2000 in Crime No.100 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner took money from the defacto complainant's account by fraudulent transactions. Hence, the complaint.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person, he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution, and he has been falsely implicated in this case. She also submitted that the petitioner facilitated to create an account. She further submitted that the petitioner has been in custody since 25.09.2024. She further submitted that the petitioner is a law-abiding citizen; that he is ready to furnish substantial sureties for his due release on bail; and therefore, she prays for the grant of bail to the petitioner.



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4. Learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) for the respondent police submitted that the petitioner took money from the defacto complainant's account by fraudulent transactions. He further submitted that there are no previous cases pending against the petitioner. However, he vehemently opposed the grant of bail to the petitioner.

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

6. Considering the representation made by both sides, the nature of offences charged against the petitioner, that even as per the prosecution case, the petitioner facilitated to create the account, that there are no previous cases pending against the petitioner and also considering the incarceration period undergone by the petitioner from 25.09.2024, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner with certain conditions:

7. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his executing 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



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learned *XI Metropolitan Magistrate Judge, Saidapet, Chennai*, and on further conditions that:

[a] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m. until further orders;

[b] the petitioner shall attend in accordance with the conditions of the bond;

[c] the petitioner shall not commit any offences of similar to the offence of which he is accused, or suspected, or of the commission of which he is suspected;

[d] the petitioner shall not, directly or indirectly, make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer or tamper with the evidence;

[e] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

[f] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Judicial 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]; and



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[g] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR
can be registered under Section 269 B.N.S.

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To

- 1.The XI Metropolitan Magistrate Judge,
Saidapet,
Chennai.
- 2.The Superintendent of Prison
Central Prison, Puzhal.
- 3.The Inspector of Police,
Cyber Crime Division -1,
Chennai East.
- 4.The Public Prosecutor
High Court of Madras.



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P.DHANABAL, J.

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