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Crl.O.P.No.27536 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 30.10.2024

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE **P.DHANABAL**

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M. Kannan @ Puragaiyan

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State represented by,
The Inspector of Police,
V-5, Thirumangalam Police Station,
Chennai.
(Crime No.230 of 2000)

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of B.N.S.S.,
pleaded to enlarge the petitioner on bail, in P.R.C. No.6 of 2020 on the file
of the learned XIII Metropolitan Magistrate, Egmore, Chennai 600 008.

For Petitioner : Mr.R. Hari Babu

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

ORDER

The petitioner seeks bail in P.R.C. No.6 of 2020 on the file of the
learned XIII Metropolitan Magistrate, Egmore, Chennai for the offences
punishable under Sections 392 of I.P.C altered into 397 r/w 34 of I.P.C. The
petitioner has been remanded to custody on 03.10.2024 on execution of



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NBW issued against him.

2.It is a case of jumped bail. The petitioner is an accused in P.R.C. No.6 of 2020 on the file of the learned XIII Metropolitan Magistrate, Egmore, Chennai. The petitioner was already granted bail, however, due to non appearance before the Court, Non Bailable Warrant has been issued against him and the same was executed on 03.10.2024.

3.Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is innocent and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that the petitioner was unable to appear before the Trial Court, due to pandemic period, he went to his native place and stayed there, due to which, he was unable to follow the case, as a result, NBW was issued against him. He further submitted that the petitioner has been in custody from 03.10.2024. Hence, he prays for grant of bail to the petitioner.

4.Learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) for the respondent submitted that the petitioner was already granted bail and due to non appearance, NBW was issued against the petitioner and he was secured only on 03.10.2024. However, he vehemently opposed to grant bail to the



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petitioner.

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5. Heard both side learned counsel and perused the materials available on record.

6. Considering that the petitioner was already granted bail and thereafter, due to his non appearance before the Trial Court, NBW was issued and the same has been executed, and the petitioner is in custody from 03.10.2024, and now the case is posted for committal, and also considering all other factors, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner subject to the following conditions:

[a] Accordingly, the Petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on condition to 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 XIII Metropolitan Magistrate Egmore, Chennai and on further conditions that;

[b] the Petitioner shall report before the trial court on all working days at 10.30 am., until further orders.

[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



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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;

[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

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

30.10.2024

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To

1.The XIII Metropolitan Magistrate Egmore, Chennai

2.The Inspector of Police,
V-5, Thirumangalam Police Station,
Chennai.

3.The Superintendent,
Central Prison-I, Puzhal, Chennai



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4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.

P.DHANABAL, J.

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