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Crl.O.P.No.30399 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : **05.12.2024**

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA

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Cheran pandiyan

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State rep. by,
The Inspector of Police,
CSCID Police, Vellore Unit,
Vellore District.
(Crime No. 227 of 2024).

... Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, pleased to enlarge the petitioner on bail, in connection with **Crime No.227 of 2024**, pending investigation on the file of the respondent Police.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Sathish Kumar

For Respondent : Mr.Leonard Arul Joseph Selvam
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

Petition seeking bail in respect of **Crime No.227 of 2024** registered for the offences punishable under Sections **6(4) of TNSC (RDCS) order 1982**, r/w. **Section 7(1) a (ii) of Essential Commodities Act, 1955**, is on board for consideration.



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2. The incarceration of the petitioner being from 20.10.2024 pleading innocence on the part of the petitioner and false implication in the case, the learned counsel for the petitioner seeks indulgence of this Court. He would further submit that the petitioner is ready to abide by any stringent condition that may be imposed by this court.

3. The case of the prosecution, as putforth by the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police, opposing for grant of bail, would submit that, on 20.10.2024, when the respondent police on a regular patrol, found that the petitioner was illegally transporting 1050 Kgs of PDS rice. He would submit that the petitioner has two previous case of similar nature.

4. Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioner, the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) for the respondent Police and perused the materials available on record, this court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner with certain conditions and accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his executing a bond for a sum of **Rs.15,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Thousand only)** with **two sureties**, each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned **Judicial Magistrate No.IV, Vellore, Vellore District**, and on further conditions that:



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[a] 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;

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent Police, everyday at 10.30 a.m., until further orders;

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

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

[e] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned 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]***;

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

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To

1. The Judicial Magistrate No.IV, Vellore,
Vellore District.
2. The Inspector of Police,
CSCID Police, Vellore Unit,
Vellore District.
3. The Superintendent,
Central Prison, Vellore,
Vellore District.
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.

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