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Crl. O.P.No. 31660 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 19.12.2024

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

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1.Mahamaniprabu
2.Manikandaprabu

... Petitioners

Vs.

The State represented by,
The Sub Inspector of Police,
Salem Town Police Station
Salem District.
[Crime No. 852 of 2024]

... Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, pleaded to enlarge the petitioners on
anticipatory bail in the event of their arrest in Crime No. 852 of 2024 on the
file of the Inspector of Police.

For Petitioners : Mr.S.Parthasarathy
For Respondent : Mr.S.Santhosh
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)



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Apprehending arrest in connection with Crime No.852 of 2024 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 296(b), 115(2), 118(1) and 351(3) of BNS, 2023, the present petition has been filed seeking anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that there was wordy quarrel between the petitioner & others and the de-facto complainant. The petitioners had assaulted the de-facto complainant and the defacto complainant got injured. Hence the complaint.

2. Pleading innocence on the part of the petitioner, false implication in the case, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks indulgence of this Court. He further submits that false complaint has been given against the petitioner and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submits that there is no previous case is pending against him. He would submit that the petitioner is ready to abide by any stringent condition that may be imposed



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3. The case of the prosecution, as put forth by the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police, opposing for grant of bail, is that the injured has been discharged from the hospital. He further submits that there is no previous case is pending against the petitioner.

4. Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) for the respondent Police and perused the materials available on record, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions and accordingly, they are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned **Judicial Magistrate-I, Salem**, on condition that the petitioners shall 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 respondent Police or the Police officer who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the said Magistrate, on further condition that:



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[a] if the petitioners fails to surrender before the said Magistrate within a period of fifteen days, this Order shall stand automatically cancelled;

[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] the petitioners shall report before the respondent Police everyday at 10.30 p.m until further orders;

[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 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



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[g] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS.

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