



CRL OP(MD) No.357 of 2024

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Wednesday, the Tenth day of January Two Thousand and Twenty Four

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice M.DHANDAPANI

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1 KARUPPAIYA

2 PITCHAI

... Petitioners / Accused No.1 & 2

Vs

THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
PUTHANATHAM POLICE STATION,
TRICHY DISTRICT,
(CRIME NO. 228 OF 2023)

... Respondent / Complainant

For Petitioners : M/S.P.Edin Brough, Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.P.Kottaichamy,
Government Advocate (CrI. Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec. 438 Cr.P.C.

PRAYER : FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL IN CRIME NO. 228/2023 ON THE FILE OF
THE RESPONDENT POLICE.

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioners/A1 and A2, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the
respondent police for the alleged offence under Sections 294(b), 324 and 506(2) of



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IPC in Crime No.228 of 2023, on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that due to land dispute between the parties, on 10.12.2023, when the de-facto complainant's brother namely, Chelladurai searching the cow in the forest area, the petitioners assaulted the de-facto complainant's brother and also threatened him with dire consequences. Hence, the case.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and it is a case and case in counter and a false case has been foisted against them. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) submitted that the injured person was already discharged from the hospital and the investigation is pending. However, he strongly opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the facts that it is a case and case in counter and the injured person was already discharged from the hospital, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

6.Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is ordered and the petitioners



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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, Manaparai, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a 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 and on further condition that:

(a) if the petitioners failed to surrender before the concerned Magistrate within a period of 15 days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, this order shall stand automatically cancelled;

(b) the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Court concerned 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 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



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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]; and;

(g)if the accused thereafter abscond, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

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(C.S. I / II / III /IV)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

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To

1.The Judicial Magistrate,
Manaparai.

2.Do through the Chief Judicial Magistrate,
Trichy District.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Puthanatham Police Station,
Trichy District.

4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



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