



CRL OP(MD) No.650 of 2024

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

Friday, the Twelfth day of January Two Thousand and Twenty Four

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice M.DHANDAPANI

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E.LAKSHMANAN

... PETITIONER/ ACCUSED NO.2

Vs

THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
ERAL POLICE STATION,
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT,
CRIME NO.287/2023

... RESPONDENT/COMPLAINANT

For Petitioner : MR.PANDIAN M Advocate

For Respondent : MR.P.KOTTAICHAMY, Govt. Advocate (CrI. Side)

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

PRAYER:

FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL IN CRIME NO.287/2023 ON THE FILE OF THE
RESPONDENT POLICE

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioner/A2, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent



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police for the alleged offence under Sections 147, 148, 294(b), 323, 324 and 506(ii) of IPC, in Crime No.287 of 2023, on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that there was a wordy quarrel arose between the petitioner and the de-facto complainant with regard to share the distribution of the flood relief articles, in which, the petitioner along with other accused attacked the de-facto complainant with wooden log and thereby, the de-facto complainant caused injuries. Hence, the case.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and in order to wreck vengeance, the de-facto complainant made a false complaint against the petitioner. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) appearing for the State strongly opposed to grant anticipatory bail stating that investigation is pending.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the



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facts that there is no serious allegation made against the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

6. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is ordered and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.II, Srivaikundam, on condition that the petitioner 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 learned Magistrate concerned and on further condition that:

(a) if the petitioner 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 petitioner shall report before the respondent police as and when required for interrogation;



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(d)the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(e)the petitioner 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 [(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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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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TO

1.THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE NO.II, SRIVAIKUNDAM.

2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
THOOTHUKUDI.



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3.THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
GENERAL POLICE STATION,
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT,

4 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

+1 CC to M/s.M.PANDIAN, Advocate (SR-717[I] dated 12/01/2024)

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