



CRL OP(MD) No.3949 of 2024

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

Wednesday, the Thirteenth day of March Two Thousand and Twenty Four
PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice M.DHANDAPANI
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... PETITIONER/ACCUSED RANK NOT KNOWN

Vs

THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
NATHAM POLICE STATION,
DINDIGUL DISTRICT.
CRIME NO.557/2023.

... RESPONDENT/COMPLAINANT

For Petitioner : M/S.V.VIJAYASETHUPATHY, Advocate

For Respondent : MR.S.MANIKANDAN, Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL UNDER SEC 438 OF CR.P.C.

PRAYER : FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL IN CRIME NO.557/2023 ON THE FILE OF
THE RESPONDENT POLICE.

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offence punishable under Section 174(3) Cr.P.C., altered into Section 306 IPC in Crime No.557of 2023, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that due to dowry harassment, the daughter of the defacto complainant committed suicide by hanging herself. Hence, the case.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the



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petitioner is an innocent and he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He would further submit that already this Court granted anticipatory bail to the co-accused. Accordingly, he prayed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent Police would submit that the investigation is pending.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the fact that already this Court granted anticipatory bail to the Co-accused, this court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

6.Accordingly, 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 District Munsif cum Judicial Magistrate, Natham 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;



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(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;

(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 absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

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1 THE DISTRICT MUNSIF CUM JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, NATHAM.

2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, DINDIGUL DISTRICT.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE, NATHAM POLICE STATION,
DINDIGUL DISTRICT.

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

+1 CC to M/s.V.VIJAYASETHUPATHY, Advocate (SR-3160[I] dated 13/03/2024)

ORDER

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