



CRL OP(MD).No.5923 of 2024

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

Date : 17.04.2024

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice B.PUGALENDHI

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Ravichandran

... Petitioner/ A4

Versus

State represented by
The Inspector of Police,
Rameshwaram Town Police Station,
Rameshwaram,
Ramanathapuram District.
(Crime No.83 of 2024)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Gokul, Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.B.Thanga Aravindh,
Government Advocate (Crl. side)

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.83 of 2024 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent Police, in



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connection with a case in Crime No.83 of 2024, for the offence punishable under Sections 4(1) (aaa) and Section 24 of Tamil Nadu Prohibition Act, 1937., has filed this petition seeking anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 11.04.2024, when the respondent Police went for patrol, the petitioner and other accused were carrying liquor bottles on their bikes. Hence, the case.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent Police submits that there is no previous case pending against the petitioner.

5. Considering the nature of allegation and also considering the antecedent of the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is ordered and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of his arrest or on his appearance within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the



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learned Judicial Magistrate, Rameshwaram, on condition that

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(i) the petitioner execute a bond for a sum of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand), with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Judicial Magistrate, Rameshwaram.

(ii) The petitioner and the sureties shall submit a copy of their Aadhaar Card or any other identity card issued by the government in proof of their residence address;

(iii) The petitioner shall appear before the respondent police daily at 10.30 am for a period of one week for interrogation. He has to co-operate for the investigation.

(iv) The petitioner shall not misuse the liberty granted to him by indulging in any further offence and shall not tamper with the prosecution witnesses.

(v) On violation of any of the above conditions by the petitioner, the respondent police shall move an application for cancellation of the anticipatory bail.

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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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TO

1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
RAMESHWARAM.

2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
RAMESWARAM TOWN POLICE STATION, RAMESWARAM,
RAMANTHAPURAM DISTRICT.

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

ORDER

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