



CRL OP(MD)No.7159 of 2024

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 15.05.2024

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice P.VADAMALAI

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1.Lakshmi Sababathy @ Lakshmi

2.Thangathai

3.Ammasipandi @ Ammasipandiyar

... Petitioners/ Accused 1 to 3

Vs

The Inspector of Police,
Irukkankudi Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
(In Crime No.54 of 2024).

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners : Mr.A.BALAJI, Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.K.SANJAI GANDHI,
Government Advocate (Crl. Side).

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

PRAYER :- For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.54 of 2024 on the file of the Respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

<https://www.mhc.tn.gov.in/judis> The petitioners/accused 1 to 3, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the



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respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 294 (b), 324, 506 (ii) IPC r/w Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Harassment of Woman Act, 1998 in Crime No.54 of 2024, on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 06.05.2024 at about 04.15 pm, due to matrimonial dispute between the de-facto complainant's grand-daughter and the third petitioner herein, they were separated and they are living separately. The same was questioned by the accused persons, at that time, wordy quarrel arose between the petitioners and the de-facto complainant, the petitioners abused the de-facto complainant in filthy language and also attacked him. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocent persons and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He would further submit that the petitioners and the de-facto complainant are close relative.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police would submit that the injured has already been discharged from the hospital and no previous case is pending against the petitioners.

5. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case and also the fact that the injured has already been discharged from the hospital and also considering the relationship between the parties, this Court is inclined to grant



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anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

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6. Accordingly, the petitioners 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 No.II, Sathur, 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 learned Magistrate concerned and on further conditions that:

[a]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 Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

[b]the petitioners shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., for a period of 15 days and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.

[c]the petitioners shall not tamper with the evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[d]the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

[e]On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners are released on bail by the learned Magistrate/Trial Court himself as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court



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[f]If the accused thereafter absconds, 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 NO.II,
SATHUR.

2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
VIRUDHUNAGAR DISTRICT AT SRIVILLIPUTHUR.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
IRUKKANKUDI POLICE STATION,
VIRUDHUNAGAR DISTRICT.

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