



CRL OP(MD). No.7200 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.Vigneshwarar

2.Manokaran

3.Lakshmi @ Lakshmi Devi

4.Mounika @ Mownica

... Petitioners/ Accused No.1,2,4 & 5

Vs

The Inspector of Police,
Emaneswaram Police Station,
Ramanathapuram District.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners : Mr.C.Senthil Murugan, Advocate.

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

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.58 of 2024 on the file of the Respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners / Accused Nos.1, 2, 4 & 5, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 143, 294(b), 341, 323 and 506(1) IPC, in Crime No.58 of 2024, on the file of the respondent police, seek



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anticipatory bail.

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2. The case of the prosecution is that the first petitioner is the husband and the petitioners 2 to 4 are the in-laws of the sister of the defacto complainant. The first petitioner along with other petitioners harassed the sister of the defacto complainant by demanding additional dowry. When the same was questioned by the defacto complainant, they abused him in filthy language and assaulted him with stick and caused injuries to him. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocent and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He would further submit that the injured has sustained only simple injury and no previous case is pending against the petitioners.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police would submit that the injured has sustained only simple injury 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 sustained only simple injury and no previous case is pending against the petitioners, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

6. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of



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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, Paramakudi, 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 30 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 in P.K.Shaji vs. State of Kerala [(2005)AIR SCW 5560].



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[f]If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section

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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

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TO

1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, PARAMAKUDI.

2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE, EMANESWARAM POLICE STATION,
RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT.

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

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