



CRL OP(MD). No.11301 of 2024

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 24/07/2024

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice A.A.NAKKIRAN

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Prabu @ Rajaprabu,

... Petitioner/ Accused No.2

Vs

The Inspector of Police,
Natham Police Station,
Dindigul District.
Crime No. 402/2024.

... Respondent/ Complainant

For Petitioner : K R Badurus Zaman,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.M.Vaikkam Karunanithi,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No. 402 of 2024 on the file of the respondent Police.



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ORDER: The Court made the following order :-

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The petitioner/ A2, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offence punishable under Section 4(1-A) of TN Prohibition Act, in Cr.No.402 of 2024, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner was found in possession of 15 numbers of brandy bottles worth about Rs.2,100/-. Hence, the complaint.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is innocent and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He would further submit that no previous case is pending against the petitioner. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) would submit that the investigation is in preliminary stage. But, however, he fairly conceded that no previous case is pending against the petitioner.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the facts that no bad antecedent is reported against the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.



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6. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned J Judicial Magistrate, Natham, Dindigul District 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 to the Police Officer, who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further conditions that:

(a) the petitioner and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity;

(b) the petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m, for a period of three weeks and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation;

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

(d) the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;



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(e) 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;

(f) if the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

TO

- 1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE
NATHAM, DINDIGUL DISTRICT.
- 2 DO-THROUGH :
THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, DINDUGAL
DISTRICT.
- 3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE
NATHAM POLICE STATION, DINDIGUL DISTRICT.



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

+1. CC to K R BADURUS ZAMAN Advocate SR.No.8453

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