



CRL OP(MD). No.12313 of 2024

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 01/08/2024

PRESENT

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

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Sundaralingam

... Petitioner/ Accused No.5

Vs

The Inspector of Police,
Abiramam Police Station,
Ramanathapuram District.
Crime No. 110/2024

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Vishnuram, Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.R.M.Anbunithi, Additional Public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR BAIL UNDER SEC 483 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Bail in Crime No. 110 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/A5, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 22.07.2024 for the offences punishable under Sections 303(2) of BNS, 2023 r/w Section 21(1) of Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957, in crime No.110 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.



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2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner has illegally transported 1 unit river sand worth about Rs.7,000/-. Hence, the case.

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 the co-accused were already released on bail and he is in judicial custody from 22.07.2024. Hence, he may be released on bail.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor would submit that the petitioner has illegally transported 1 unit river sand worth about Rs.7,000/-. The investigation is in preliminary stage. However, he fairly conceded that the co-accused were already released on bail.

5.Considering the period of incarceration and the considering the fact that the co-accused were already released on bail, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner on certain conditions.

6.Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail, on executing 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 learned Judicial Magistrate, Kamuthi.

(i)the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate/concerned court may obtain a copy of their Aadhar



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card or Bank Pass Book to ensure their identity;

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(ii) 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;

(iii) the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness;

(iv) the petitioner shall not abscond during trial.

(v) 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].

(vi) If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229A IPC.

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1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, KAMUTHI.

2 DO-THROUGH : THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT.

3 THE OFFICER INCHARGE, DISTRICT PRISON, RAMANATHAPURAM.

4 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE, ABIRAMAM POLICE STATION,
RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT.

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

ORDER

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