



**CRL OP(MD). No.13794 of 2024**

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**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT**

**( Criminal Jurisdiction )**

**Date : 02/09/2024**

**PRESENT**

**The Hon`ble Mr.Justice D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY**

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**M.Soundara Pandiyan,**

**... Petitioner/Sole Accused**

**Vs**

**The Inspector of Police,  
Vigilance and Anti Corruption,  
Trichy District.  
Cr.No.10 of 2024.**

**... Respondent/Complainant**

**For Petitioner : M/s. Manoj Kumar.S, Advocate.**

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

**PETITION FOR BAIL UNDER SECTION 483 OF BNSS**

**PRAYER :-**

**For Bail in Crime No.10 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police.**

**ORDER : The Court made the following order :-**

**The petitioner/Accused, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody  
on 02.08.2024 for the offences punishable under Section 7 of Prevention of**



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Corruption Act, 1988 (as amended in 2018), in crime No.10 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner had demanded bribe of Rs.50,000/- and caught red-handed.

3.Heard the learned counsel on either side and perused the material records of the case.

4. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also nature of allegation against the petitioner that the petitioner had demanded bribe and caught red-handed and that the petitioner is in judicial custody from 02.08.2024, I am inclined to grant bail to the petitioner on certain conditions.

5. 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 Special Judge (Vigilance and Anti Corruption), Trichy;

(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 card or Bank Pass Book to ensure their identity;

(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. It is

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made clear that no relaxation of the condition for the said period will be entertained by this court;

(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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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,  
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1 THE SPECIAL JUDGE  
(VIGILANCE AND ANTI CORRUPTION), TRICHY.

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2 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE  
VIGILANCE AND ANTI CORRUPTION,  
TRICHY DISTRICT.

3 THE SUPERINTENDENT  
CENTRAL PRISON, TRICHY.

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

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