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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 12.12.2024

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice N.ANAND VENKATESH

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- 1.John James
- 2.William James @ William Jemes
- 3.Antony Chandra Sekaran @ Anthonychandirasekaraan
- 4.Victor Immanual Sekaran @ Victor Emmanuelraj
- 5.Jebakumar
- 6.Antonyraj
- 7.Natarajan @ Nadarajan
- 8.Yovan @ Yowan
- 9.Raja Jeya Prabhu
- 10.Edison @ Thomas Alva Edison
- 11.Johnson @ Johnson David
- 12.Arulraj
- 13.Samuvel Kingsly @ Samuelkingsely



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14.Allwin @ Allwin Prabhakar

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15.Micheal @ Michael

16.Chandran

17.Ebanesar @ Ebanasar

...Petitioners/ Accused Nos.1 to 17

Vs

The State of Tamil Nadu
Represented by the Inspector of Police,
Soorankudi Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
(Crime No.125 of 2024)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners: Mr.M.Jerin Mathew,
Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.A.Albert James,
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL UNDER SECTION 482 OF BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No. 125 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offences under Sections 3(5), 351(3) of BNS and Section 3 of TNPPDL Act, in Crime No.125 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that there was a temple dispute between two



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parties. At that point of time, the petitioners are said to have abused the defacto complainant and others in filthy language and threatened them with dire consequences and also damaged the compound wall and caused damage worth Rs.50,000/-.

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

4. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case and considering the manner in which this incident had taken place, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

5. 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 on which the order copy made ready, before the learned Judicial Magistrate Court, Vilathikulam, Thoothukudi, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) with two common sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the respondent police or the police officer who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned, failing which, the petition for anticipatory bail shall stand dismissed and on further condition that:

[a] the petitioners and the sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb



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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 petitioners shall appear before the respondent Police as and when required for interrogation.

[c] the petitioners shall not tamper with 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 petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners 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].

[f] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS, 2023. IPC.

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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE
VILATHIKULAM, THOOTHUKUDI.

2 DO-THROUGH
THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, THOOTHUKUDI.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
SOORANKUDI POLICE STATION,
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT.

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

+1 CC to M/s.M.JERIN MATHEW, Advocate (SR-15335[I] dated 12/12/2024)

ORDER
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