



CRL OP(MD). No.22559 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 19.12.2024

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice N.ANAND VENKATESH

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Muthuraj

... Petitioner / Sole Accused

Vs

The State of Tamil Nadu
Represented by the Inspector of Police,
Sathankulam Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
(Crime No.285 of 2024)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Ponkarthikeyan,
Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.B.Thanga Aravindh,
Government Advocate
(Criminal Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS
Act.

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No. 285 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, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offences under Sections 126(2), 296(b), 115(2), 118(1) and 351(3) of BNS, in Crime No.285 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that there was a previous enmity between the parties. On the date of incident, the accused person is said to have waylaid the defacto complainant and abused in filthy language and attacked with knife and caused injury.

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 previous dispute between the parties and also taking note of the fact that there is a case and counter-case in Crime Nos.285 and 286 of 2024 pending



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investigation before the respondent police and considering the fact that the injured has been discharged from the hospital and there are no previous case against the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

1. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy made ready, before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Sathankulam, 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 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:

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[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 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.

[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].



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

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TO

1. The Judicial Magistrate,
Sathankulam.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Sathankulam Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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