



Crl.O.P.No.156 of 2025

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 07.01.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA

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Thirumalai alias Satheesh

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State represented by,
The Station House Officer,
Thiruvannainallur Police Station,
Villupuram.

(Crime No.957 of 2024).

... Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, pleased to enlarge the petitioner on bail, in
connection with Crime No.957 of 2024, pending investigation on the file of the
respondent Police.

For Petitioner : Ms.T.Gnana Banu

For Respondent : Mr.Leonard Arul Joseph Selvam
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

Petition seeking bail in respect of Crime No.957 of 2024 registered for
the offences punishable under Sections 20(b)(ii)(A) of NDPS Act r/w Section 77
of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection) Act, 2015 is on board for
consideration.



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2. The incarceration of the petitioner being from 06.12.2024 pleading innocence on the part of the petitioner and false implication in the case, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks indulgence of this Court. He submits that the petitioner is ready to abide by any stringent condition that may be imposed by this court.

3. The case of the prosecution as putforth by the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent police, opposing for grant of bail, is that the petitioner was found to be in illegal possession of 25 grams of ganja. He further submits that there are no previous cases against the petitioner.

4. Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) for the respondent Police and perused the materials available on record, this court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner with certain conditions and accordingly, he is ordered to be released on bail on his executing a bond for a sum of **Rs.15,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Thousand only)** with **two sureties**, each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned **District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate, Thiruvannainallur, Villupuram**, and on further conditions that:



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[a] 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, everyday at 10.30 a.m. until further orders;

[c] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

[d] the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness 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]***;

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

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To

1. The District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate, Thiruvannainallur, Villupuram
- 2.The Station House Officer,
Thiruvannainallur Police Station,
Villupuram.
3. The Superintendent,
Sub Jail, Villupuram
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.

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