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Crl.O.P.No.552 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 22.01.2025

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

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1. Iniyavan

2. Theerthagiri

3. Ambed Kumar

4. Manoj Kumar

5. Suresh

... Petitioners

Vs.

The State represented by,
The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Pappireddipatti Police Station,
Dharmapuri District.

(Crime No.222 of 2024).

... Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petitions filed under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, pleaded to enlarge the petitioners on bail, in connection with Crime No.222 of 2024, pending investigation on the file of the respondent Police.

For Petitioners : Mr.E.Kannadasan

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



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3. The case of the prosecution as putforth by the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police, opposing for grant of bail, is that due to the dispute with regard to management of a School, the accused had abducted the de facto complainant and tortured him. He further submits that the case is under investigation.

4. Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioners, the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) for the respondent Police and perused the materials available on record and considering the facts of the case, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioners with certain conditions and accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail on their executing separate bond each 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 **Judicial Magistrate No.II, Pappireddipatti**, and on further conditions that:

[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 petitioners shall report before the respondent, everyday at 06.30 p.m., until further orders;



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

[d] the petitioners 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 petitioners 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 abscond, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of B.N.S.

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To

1. The Judicial Magistrate No.II, Pappireddipatti.
2. The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Pappireddipatti Police Station,
Dharmapuri District.
3. The Superintendent, Sub Jail, Harur.
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.

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