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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 28.01.2025

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

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Pradeep @ Vellai
S/o.Balu, No. 103, Kailasagiri, Omerabad, Ambur
Taluk, Tirupathur District.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

State By, Inspector Of Police,
Omerabad Police Station, Tirupathur District. Crime
No. 23 of 2025

Respondent(s)

For Petitioner(s):

Thirumoorthy D
D. Rameshkumar

For Respondent(s): S.Santhosh

Government Advocate (criminal Side)

ORDER

Apprehending arrest in connection with Crime No.23 of 2025 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 296(b) and 115(2) of BNS, 2023 read with Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Women Harassment Act, the present petition has been filed by the petitioner seeking anticipatory bail.

2. Pleading innocence on the part of the petitioner, false implication in

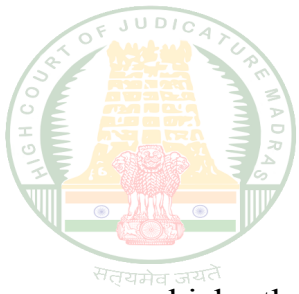


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the case, learned counsel for the petitioner seek indulgence of this Court. He submits that the petitioner is ready to abide by any stringent condition that may be imposed by this court.

3. The case of the prosecution, as put forth by the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police is that, due to previous enmity, petitioner along with other accused abused the defacto complainant in filthy language and also threatened with dire consequences.

4. Further, 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 anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions and accordingly, he is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned **Judicial Magistrate, Ambur**, on condition that the petitioner shall execute separate 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



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which, the petition for anticipatory bail shall stand dismissed and on further condition that:

[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 on all working days at 10.30.a.m., until further orders.

[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].

[f] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be



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registered under Section 269 of B.N.S.

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
Omerabad Police Station.
2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.



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