



Crl.O.P.No.2353 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 03.02.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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Shreeram

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State Represented by,
The Inspector of Police,
Olakkur Police Station,
Villupuram District.
(Crime No.08 of 2025).

... 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.08 of 2025, pending investigation on the file of the respondent Police.

For Petitioner : Mr. B. Vasudevan

For Respondent : Mr. A. Gopinath
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)



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operate for the investigation, therefore, prayed to grant bail to the petitioner.

4. Learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police, while opposing for granting of bail to the petitioner submitted that the petitioner had involved in illegal transportation of banned tobacco products and there are totally four accused involved in this case and the petitioner herein is the driver of the vehicle, in which the banned tobacco products were seized. He also submitted that the petitioner has no previous case and further investigation of this case is pending.

5. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) for the respondent Police and perused the materials available on record.

6. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case, the nature of offence alleged, the submissions made by the learned counsels on either side, the period of incarceration and since further custody of the petitioner is not required for the purpose of investigation, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.



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7. Accordingly, the petitioner 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 Judicial Magistrate No.1, Thindivanam** 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 petitioner shall report before the respondent Police on 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



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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 Judicial Magistrate No.1,
Thindivanam.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Olakkur Police Station,
Villupuram District.
3. The Superintendent,
Central Jail, Cuddalore.
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.



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