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Crl.O.P.No.3910 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 13.03.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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Fathima Begam

.... Petitioner/A4

Vs.

The State represented by,
The Inspector of Police,
F-2, Egmore Police Station,
Chennai District.
(Crime No.577 of 2024).

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of BNSS, pleaded to enlarge the petitioner on bail, in connection with the Crime No.577 of 2024, pending investigation on the file of the respondent Police.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Muthamizhselvakumar

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

ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 16.12.2024 for the alleged offence under Sections 8(C) read with Section 20(b)(ii)(B), 22(c), 25, 29(1) of NDPS Act, 1985 in Crime No.577 of 2024 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.



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2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner along with other accused was found in possession of 700 grams of Methamphetamine and 6.600 kgs of ganja. Hence, the case.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the allegations are false; that the petitioner is in custody from 16.12.2024 and since further custody is not required, the petitioner may be released on bail.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that the seized quantity is a commercial quantity.

5. The petitioner was found in commercial quantity of contraband and he has not satisfied the twin conditions under Section 37 of the NDPS Act. In view of the same, this Court is not inclined to entertain this petition at this stage.



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6. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed.

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