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CRL OP No. 8069 of 2025



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 19-03-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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Vikesh @Vignesh
Son of Krushnamurthi, D No.3/81,
Chanthaipettai, Chinnasiragapadi,
Salem District.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

The State Rep.By, The Inspector Of
Police,
Attaiyampatti Police Station, Salem
District. (Crime. No.66/2025)

Respondent(s)

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PRAYER

To enlarge the petitioner on bail in event of arrest a case in crime No. 66 of 2025 on the file of the Respondent

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For Petitioner(s): Mr. Deepak Kumar C

For Respondent(s): Mr. S. Santhosh,
Government Advocate



ORDER

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The petitioner/A3, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offence punishable under Section 303(2) of BNS (379 of IPC) in Crime No. 66 of 2025, on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that, the petitioner/A3 along with other accused/A1 and A2 stole electric copper wire from the defacto complainant's company. Hence, the case.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the allegations are false. He further submitted that the stolen copper wire has been recovered. He further submitted that the petitioner has been implicated based on the confession of co-accused and that in any case, custodial interrogation is not required and sought for anticipatory bail for the petitioner.



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4. Learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent police, while opposing for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner, reiterated the prosecution case and on instructions submitted that the petitioner has no bad antecedents. He further submitted that the stolen electric copper wire has been recovered from co-accused and they have been arrested and released on bail.

5. Considering the nature of allegations, the fact that the petitioner has no bad antecedents, the fact that the stolen electric copper wire has been recovered from co-accused and since custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

6. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of copy of this order, before the **learned Judicial Magistrate No.IV, Salem**, on condition that the petitioner shall execute 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 said Magistrate, 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 as and when required for interrogation.

[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



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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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