



Crl.O.P.No.10091 of 2025

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 09.04.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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Manimaran

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State represented by,
The Inspector of Police,
Kanchi Taluk Police Station,
Kancheepuram.
(Crime No.108 of 2025).

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of BNSS, pleaded to enlarge the petitioner on bail, in connection with the Crime No.108 of 2025, pending investigation on the file of the respondent Police.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Krishnan

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

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed by the petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 11.03.2025, seeking bail in Crime No.108 of 2025 registered for the offence under Sections 103(2) of BNS read with Section 3 of Explosive Substance Act, 1908.



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2. The case of the prosecution is that due to previous enmity, A1 to A5 attacked the deceased with deadly weapons and also thrown country bomb on the deceased, as a result of which deceased died on the spot. It is further alleged that the petitioner/A10 has supplied weapons to the A1 to A5. Hence the case.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the allegations are false and in any case the petitioner is in custody from 11.03.2025; and that further custody is not required for the purpose of investigation. Hence, he prayed for grant of bail to the petitioner.

4. Learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that the petitioner was not present in the scene of occurrence and he has only supplied the weapons to the main accused.

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



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6. Considering the nature of allegations, the overt act attributed to the petitioner; that he was not present in the scene of occurrence; the period of incarceration; and since further custody is not required for the purpose of investigation, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

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.II, Kancheepuram** and on further conditions that:

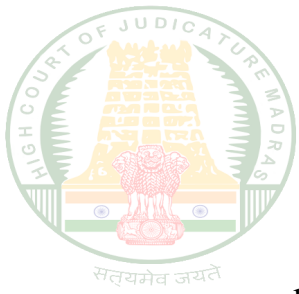
[a] the sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity;

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police on every Sunday 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



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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 registered under Section 269 B.N.S.

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To

1. Judicial Magistrate No.II, Kancheepuram
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Kanchi Taluk Police Station,
Kancheepuram.
3. The Superintendent,
Central Prison, Puzhal.
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.



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