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CRL OP No. 11909 of 2025



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 22-04-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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1. RADHAMANI

W/o. Gnana Karunakaran, No.3- 13,
Sebasthiyarpuram Village, Valanadu,
Ramanathapuram District

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. State By Inspector of Police
C1-Flower Bazaar Police Station,
Chennai (Crime No. 324 of 2022)

Respondent(s)

PRAYER: To enlarge the petitioner on bail in the event of his arrest by the respondent police in Crime no 324 of 2022 on the file of Inspector of Police, C1 Flower Bazaar Police Station, Chennai

For Petitioner (S) : Mr.Sasikumar

For Respondent(s): Public Prosecutor



ORDER

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The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent for the offences punishable under Sections 406, 420 of IPC in Crime No.324 of 2022, on the file of the respondent Police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner alongwith the co-accused promised the defacto complainant to secure him government job and obtained a sum of Rs.2,04,800/- and failed to secure him job. Hence, the complaint.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the allegations are false and the co-accused was arrested and released on bail in Crl.M.P.NO.17617 of 2023 on 25.07.2023 and in any case, the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required; and hence prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. Learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent Police reiterated the prosecution case and on instructions submitted



that the co-accused was arrested and released on bail; and that the petitioner has no bad antecedents.

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

6. Taking note of the facts and circumstances of the case, nature of allegations, which pertains to the year 2022, the submissions made by the learned counsel on either side, the fact that the co-accused was arrested and released on bail and since, custodial interrogation is not required for the purpose of investigation, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

7. 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 on which the order copy made ready, before the learned VIII Metropolitan



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Magistrate, George Town, Chennai, on condition that the petitioner shall execute a 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 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 daily 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



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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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