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Crl.O.P.No.13891 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 30.04.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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Karunakaran

... Petitioner/Accused

Vs.

State represented by,
The Inspector of Police,
Jolarpet Police Station,
Tirupathur District.

(Crime No.62 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.62 of 2025, pending investigation on the file of the respondent Police.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Thirumoorthy

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



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ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed by the petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 20.03.2025, seeking bail in Crime No.62 of 2025 registered for the offence under Sections 303(2) and 62 of BNS, 2023.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner had attempted to commit theft of the two-wheeler belonging to the defacto complainant. Hence, the case.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the allegations against the petitioner are false; and that in any case, 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) appearing for the respondent police reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that there are 12 previous cases pending against the petitioner and he is on bail in those cases.



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5. Heard the learned counsel on either side and perused the materials available on record.

6. Considering the nature of allegation; the period of incarceration; the fact that the petitioner is on bail in the previous cases 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.

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 – I, Tirupathur**, 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;



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[b] the petitioner shall stay at Chennai and report before the Inspector of Police, Flower Bazaar Police Station, 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 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 – I, Tirupathur.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Jolarpet Police Station,
Tirupathur District.
3. The Superintendent,
Central Jail, Vellore.
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.



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SUNDER MOHAN., J.

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