



*Crl.M.P.No.12542 of 2025
in Crl.R.C.No.934 of 2025*

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 14.07.2025

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

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N.Srinivasan

.. Petitioner

Versus

State By Inspector of Police,
Vigilance and Anti Corruption Unit,
Puducherry through A.P.P, Puducherry,
(Cr.No.03/1997) .. Respondent

Prayer : Criminal Miscellaneous Petition filed under Section 438(1) of BNSS, to suspend the sentence imposed on the petitioner by the learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Puducherry, in C.C.No.131 of 2008 upon its judgment, dated 30.06.2022, which was confirmed by the judgment, dated 28.02.2025 rendered by the Court of III Additional Sessions Judge at Puducherry in Crl.Appeal.No.33 of 2022 and enlarge the petitioner on bail pending disposal of the above revision on the file of the Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.S.Ganesh

For Respondent : Mr.K.Mohandoss,
Public Prosecutor (Pondicherry)



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ORDER

Today, it is reported by the learned Counsel for the petitioner as well as the learned Public Prosecutor (Pondicherry) for the respondent that the petitioner has since surrendered before the Trial Court and is committed to custody.

2. Considering the overall facts of the case and the maximum sentence imposed is for a period of two years, I am inclined to suspend the sentence pending the disposal of the Criminal Revision Case.

3. In view thereof, the sentence imposed on the petitioner is suspended on the following conditions:-

(i) The petitioner shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.25,000/- with two sureties, each for a likesum to the satisfaction of the trial court;

(ii) The petitioner and the sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression in the surety bond and the Trial Court may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book and mobile numbers to ensure their identity;



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(iii) The petitioner shall appear before the Trial Court once in three months at 10.30 A.M and if he is not able to appear before the Trial Court on any day, they shall make arrangements to file an application under Section 355 of BNSS, 2023 and shall appear before the Trial Court on any other day in lieu of the date of his absence, as directed by the Trial Court;

4. With the above directions, this Criminal Miscellaneous Petition is ordered.

14.07.2025

Neutral Citation : no
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To

1. The III Additional Sessions Judge,
Puducherry.
2. The Chief Judicial Magistrate,
Puducherry.
3. The Inspector of Police,
Vigilance and Anti Corruption Unit,
Puducherry.
4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.



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