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Crl.O.P.No.19222



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 04.11.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.RAJASEKAR

Crl.O.P.No.19222 of 2025

Senthil

... Petitioner

-VS-

State Represented by  
The Inspector of Police,  
Modakurichi Police Station,  
Erode District.  
(Crime No. Not known of 2025)

... Respondent

**PRAYER:** Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of BNSS, 2023, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in event of his arrest, pending investigation in Crime No. Not known of 2025 on the file of respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Palanikumar

For Respondent : Mr.S.Udhayakumar  
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

For Intervenor : Mr.M.Guruprasad

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**ORDER**

The petitioner apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offence punishable under Section 318(4) of BNS, 2023 in Crime No. Not known of 2025, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. Today, when the matter taken up for hearing, the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent police submitted that petition enquiry is pending in C.S.R.No.229 of 2025.



**K.RAJASEKAR,J.**

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3. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) for the respondent.

4. Considering the facts and circumstances, the respondent police has to issue notice under Section 41(A) of Cr.P.C to the petitioner and the petitioner is directed to appear before the respondent police and the Investigating Officer has to conduct the enquiry by strictly following the procedures therein and if any *prima facie* case is made out against the petitioners, register the F.I.R or close the petition enquiry within a period of **two weeks** from today. The parties are directed to co-operate with the enquiry. It is needless to say that the respondent police shall not take any coercive steps to secure the accused till the completion of enquiry on the complaint lodged by the defacto complainant.

5. With the above directions, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

**04.11.2025**

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**To**

1.The Inspector of Police,  
Modakurichi Police Station,  
Erode District.

2.The Public Prosecutor,  
High Court of Madras.

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