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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 05.08.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.NIRMAL KUMAR

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... Petitioner

Vs.

The State represented by,
The Inspector of Police,
AWPS, Hosur.

(Crime No.61 of 2025)

... Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in Crime No.61
of 2025 pending investigation on the file of the respondent Police.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Thirumoorthy

For Respondent : Mr.R.Vinothraja
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on
11.06.2025 for the offences under Sections 3(a) & 4 of Protection of Children
from Sexual Offences Act, 2012, in Crime No.61 of 2025, on the file of the
respondent, seeks bail.



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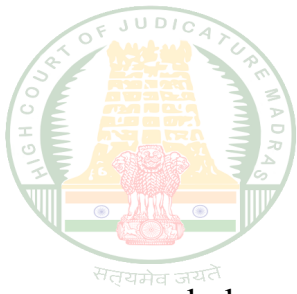
2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner/accused had committed penetrative sexual assault on the minor victim girl. Hence, the case.

3. The contention of the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner is that the petitioner, aged about 20 years, is innocent and has been falsely implicated in this case and this is his second application for bail before this Court. He further submitted that the petitioner and the victim girl were in love and due to the misunderstanding between both the families, a false complaint has been lodged against the petitioner. He further submitted that the petitioner is ready to abide by any stringent conditions that may be imposed by this Court. Hence he prayed for the grant of bail.

4. Learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent police reiterated the prosecution case and opposed for granting bail to the petitioner. He further submitted that the statement has been recorded from the victim girl under Section 183 BNSS on 04.07.2025.

5. Heard both sides and perused the materials available on record including the victim's statement under Section 183 BNSS.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and taking note of the statement given by the minor victim girl, wherein, she has not supported the case of the prosecution and has not made any allegation against the petitioner



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and also considering the period of incarceration undergone by the petitioner, 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.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only)** with **two sureties**, each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned **Sessions Judge, Fast Track Mahila Court, Krishnagiri**, and on further conditions that:

[a] the sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression in the Application for Surety ship [Judicial Form No.46 annexed to 'The Criminal Rules of Practice, 2019']. The learned Magistrate shall obtain a copy of any one of the identity proofs to ensure their identity;

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent Police everyday at 10.30 a.m., for a period of two weeks and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation;

[c] the petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation by a Police Officer as and when required;

[d] the petitioner shall not directly or indirectly cause any threat to the de facto complainant and witnesses;

[e] the petitioner to give an undertaking that if required for being identified by witnesses during investigation or for police custody beyond the first fifteen days, he shall comply to the directions as may be given by the Court in this regard;

[f] On breach of any of the aforementioned conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to pass appropriate



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M.NIRMAL KUMAR, J.

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orders against the petitioner in accordance with law as if the
aforementioned 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)13 SCC 283]**;

[g] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be
registered under Section 269 of B.N.S.

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Note :

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2. All concerned to act on this order being uploaded in Official Website of this Court without insisting on certified hard copies. To be noted, this order when uploaded in the official website of this Court will be watermarked and will also have a QR code.

To

1. The Sessions Judge, Fast Track Mahila Court, Krishnagiri.
2. The Inspector of Police, AWPS, Hosur.
3. The Superintendent, Dharmapuri Prison.
4. The Public Prosecutor, High Court of Madras.

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