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CRL OP No. 22006 of 2025



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 11-09-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE T.V.THAMILSELVI

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Vicky,
S/o. Sekar, No.51J/103,
Ekamparapuram North Mada Street,
Kancheepuram, Kancheepuram District.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

State Rep By Inspector of Police
CSCID-Kanchipuram Police Station,
Kanchipuram District.
Cr.No. 184 of 2025

Respondent(s)

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of BNSS to enlarge the petitioner on bail in the event of arrest in the hands of Respondent in Cr.No. 184 of 2025 pending investigation on the file of the Respondent Police.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.A Saranraj

For Respondent(s): Mr.S.Udayakumar

Government Advocate (Crl. Side)



ORDER

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The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under **Section 6(4) of Tamil Nadu Scheduled Commodities (RDCS) Order, 1982 read with 7(1)(a)(ii) of Essential Commodities Act, 1955** in Crime No.184 of 2025 on the file of respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 14.07.2025, when the respondent police conducted a routine check up, they seized 1390 kilo grams of PDS rice from the petitioner's godown. Hence, this case.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and he has been falsely implicated in this case. However, on instructions he further submitted that without prejudice to his rights and contentions, the petitioner is prepared to deposit/pay some considerable amount as may be directed by this court and prayed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for respondent police reiterated the prosecution case and objected for the grant of



anticipatory bail to the petitioner stating that the petitioner is the sole accuse and

the quantity of PDS rice involved in this case is 1390 kgs. He further submitted

that the petitioner has got one previous case against him.

5. Considering the above facts and circumstances of the case and the submissions of the learned counsel on either side, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

6. 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 Judicial Magistrate No.1, Kancheepuram, on condition that the petitioner shall deposit a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) as non-refundable deposit to the credit of registered Advocate Clerks Association, Kancheepuram and the petitioner shall also 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:



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[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 every Saturday at 10.30 a.m. for the period of eight weeks and thereafter as and when required for interrogation.

[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 down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in **P.K.Shaji vs. State of Kerala [(2005)AIR SCW 5560]**.

[f] If the petitioner thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS.

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1. The Judicial Magistrate No.I,
Kancheepuram

2. The Inspector of Police
CSCID- Kanchipuram Police Station,
Kanchipuram District.

3. The Public Prosecutor
High Court of Madras, Chennai



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