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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 10.09.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE T.V.THAMILSELVI

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Gunaseelan

... Petitioner

Vs.

State, rep by
The Station House Officer,
Karuveppilankurichi Police Station,
Cuddalore District.
Cr.No.197/2025.

... Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in respect of
Crime No.197 of 2025 on the file of respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.U.Pressanna

For Respondent : Mr.A.Gopinath
Government Advocate (Crl.side)

ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on
08.08.2025 for the alleged offence under Sections 126(2), 296(b), 115(2), 351(3)
and 74 of BNS, 2023, read with Section 4 of TNPHW Act, 2002, in Crime
No.197 of 2025, on the file of respondent police, seeks bail.



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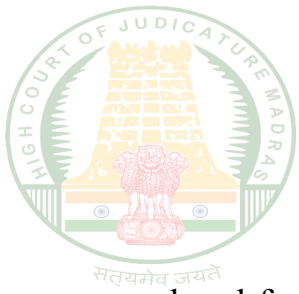
2. The case of the prosecution is that one Dinesh abused the defacto complainant's cousin (uncle's daughter) in filthy language. When this was question, the petitioner, along with others, allegedly restrained the defacto complainant and assaulted him. Hence, the present complaint.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has been falsely implicated, as if he attempted to cause injury to the defacto complainant. He further submits that the petitioner has been suffering incarceration from 08.08.2025. Hence, he seeks for grant of bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent police, opposed the grant of bail to the petitioner and submitted that the investigation has been completed.

5. Considering the facts, the submissions made by both counsels, and the fact that the investigation has been completed, and also considering the period of incarceration undergone by the petitioner, this court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

6. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on executing



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a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) with two sureties, **in which one surety must be a blood surety** for a like sum to the satisfaction of the **Judicial Magistrate No.II, Virudhalam**, 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;

(b) the petitioner shall report before the respondent police every Saturday at 10.30 a.m. for a period of three months.

(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 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 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]***; and;

(f) if the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229-A IPC.

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(g) the petitioner shall not communicate with the victim and his family members.

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To

- 1.The Judicial Magistrate No.II, Virudhachalam.
- 2.The Station House Officer,
Karuveppilankurichi Police Station,
Cuddalore District.
- 3.The Sub Jail, Virudhachalam
- 4.The Public Prosecutor, High Court of Madras.

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