



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 12-09-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE T.V.THAMILSELVI

CRL OP No. 24370 of 2025

1. Dhinakaran

S/o. Semmalai,

2. Baskar

S/o. Semmalai,

3. Bharath kumar

S/o.Karuppan,

4. Praveen kumar

S/o. Karuppan

5. Balaji

S/o. Anbalagan,

6. Raghul @ Vijaya Rahagavan,

S/o. Raja,

7. Ramakrishnan

S/o. Subramani, The Petitioners 1 to 7

are residing at, East Street,

Vadakkanandal Post, Chinnasalem

Taluk, Kallakurichi District- 606 202

Petitioner(s)



Vs

1. State Rep by, The Inspector of police.
Kachirayapalayam Police Station,
Kallakurichi District. (Crime No. 306
of 2025)

Respondent(s)

CRL OP No. 24370 of 2025

PRAYER

To enlarge the petitioners on anticipatory bail in the event on their arrest by the Respondent in Crime No.306 of 2025 on the file of the Respondent

For Petitioner(s): Mr.V. Gunasekar

For Respondent(s): Mr.S.Udayakumar,
Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side)

ORDER

The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 191(2), 191(3), 296(b), 132, 351(3) of BNS Act, in Crime No.306 of 2025 on the file of respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 27.08.2025 during the celebration of Vinayagar Chathurthi festival, the petitioners along with other accused said to



have committed riot with weapons and by using criminal force to prevent the public servant from discharging his duty. Hence, the present complaint was lodged against the petitioners.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are ranked as A1 to 7 and they have been falsely implicated in this case. He would submit that they have not at all committed any offence as alleged by the respondent police and they are no way connected with the occurrence and they will abide by any condition that may be imposed by this court. Hence, he prays to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for respondent would submit that on the date of occurrence, during the celebration of Vinayagar Chathurthi festival, the petitioners along with other accused committed riot with weapons and also prevented the public servant from discharging his duty. He would also submit that if they are released on anticipatory bail, they will tamper the evidence and hamper the investigation. Hence, he vehemently opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

5. Considering the above fact and circumstances of the case and also the fact that the investigation was completed, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.



6. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy made ready, before the learned Judicial Magistrate-I, Kallakurichi, and the petitioners shall also execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) with two sureties each, in which, **one surety must be a blood surety**, 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:

[a] the petitioners 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 petitioners shall report before the respondent police as and when required for interrogation.

[c] the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[d] the petitioners 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 petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been



imposed and the petitioners 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 accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 229A IPC.

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To

1. Judicial Magistrate-I, Kallakurichi.
2. The Inspector of Police, Kachirayapalayam Police Station, Kallakurichi Dt.
3. The Public Prosecutor, High Court, Madras.



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