



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

**DATED: 08-09-2025**

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**THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE T.V.THAMILSELVI**

**CRL OP No. 24470 of 2025**

J.Gunaseelan  
s/o. Jayakrishnaraju,  
MIG 660, Manaickampalayam,  
Housing unit, North Police Station  
Road, Erode - 638011.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

The State Represented by,  
The Inspector of police,  
C-1, Katoor Police Station, Coimbatore.  
(Crime No. 463/2025)

Respondent(s)

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**PRAYER**

To enlarge the petitioner on bail, in the case pending investigation in Crime No. 463/2025 on the file of the Inspector of Police, C-1, Katoor Police Station, Coimbatore.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.J.Kingsly Solomon

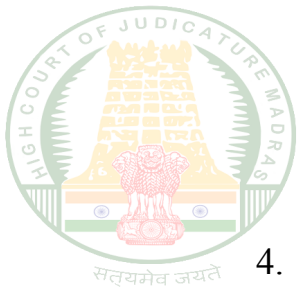
For Respondent(s): Mr.A.Gopinath,  
Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side)

**ORDER**

**WEB COPY** The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 13.08.2025 for the alleged offence under Section 3(2)a, 4(2)(c) and 5(1) D of Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, in Crime No.463 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of prosecution is that on 12.08.2025 around 10.00 hours, when the defacto complainant was near Sri Prakash Lodge, Ramnagar, Coimbatore, the petitioner approached him and induced him to go inside the said lodge and offered him an opportunity to be with a woman Accused-2 for sexual gratification on payment of money. Hence, the complaint was registered against the petitioner.

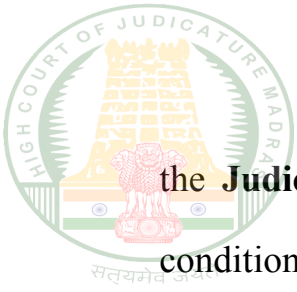
3. The learned counsel appearing for petitioner submitted that the entire allegation is false, vindictive, wanton and he is no way connected with the offence. He would submit that he has not at all committed any of offence as alleged by the respondent police and he has been falsely implicated in this case and he will abide by any condition that may be imposed by this court. He would submit that the investigation is almost completed and that the petitioner has been suffering incarceration for more than 27 days from 12.08.2025. Hence, he prayed to grant bail to the petitioner.



4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for respondent would submit that as per the complaint, the petitioner along with other accused have induced the defacto complainant to go inside the lodge and offered him an opportunity to be with A2 for sexual gratification on payment of money. He would submit that there are two accused involved in this case and the petitioner is arrayed as A1 and no previous case pending against him. He would submit that that if he is released on bail, he would tamper the witnesses and hamper the investigation and the investigation is almost completed. Hence, he vehemently opposed to grant bail to the petitioner.

5. Considering the above facts and circumstances and the fact that investigation is almost completed and no previous case pending against him and also considering the period of incarceration undergone by the petitioner for more than 27 days from 12.08.2025, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner subject to the following conditions:

6. Accordingly, the petitioner is directed to **deposit a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) as a non-refundable deposit to the credit of registered Advocates Clerks Association, Erode and on such deposit, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on condition to 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 **Judicial Magistrate, Addl. Mahila Court, Coimbatore**, and on further conditions that:

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(a) the sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression in the surety bond and the learned 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 on alternative days at 10.30 a.m. for period of three months;**

**(c) the Investigating Officer is directed to conduct periodical inspection to the said Sri Prakash Lodge, Ramnagar, Coimbatore;**

(d) the petitioner shall not commit any offences of similar nature;

(e) the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

(f) the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(g) on breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Judicial 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];



(h) if the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS.

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**To**

1. The Judicial Magistrate, Addl. Mahila Court, Coimbatore.
2. The Inspector of Police, C-1 Katoor Police Station, Coimbatore.
3. The Superintendent of Prison, Central Prison, Coimbatore.
4. The Public Prosecutor, High Court, Madras

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**T.V.THAMILSELVI J.**

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