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Crl.O.P.No.26135 of 2025



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 23.09.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.RAJASEKAR

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Selvam

... Petitioner

Vs.

State By,
The Inspector of Police,
Vellimedupettai Police Station,
Villupuram District.
(Cr.No.127 of 2025)

... Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in the event of arrest in Cr.No.127 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police.

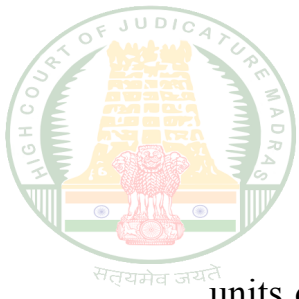
For Petitioner : Mr.S.Silambu Selvan

For Respondent : Mr.S.Udayakumar

Government Advocate (Crl. Side)

ORDER

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offence **under Section 303(2), 326(a) of BNS, 2023 (U/s.379, 430 of IPC)** in **Crime No.127 of 2025**, on the file of the respondent Police, seeks anticipatory bail.



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2. The allegation against the petitioner is that he illegally quarried 4 units of sand from lake thereby caused damage to the ecology and also water body. Hence, the case has been registered.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that he is not having any previous cases and he has been falsely implicated in this case. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal side) for the respondent police reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that the petitioner illegally quarrying four units of river sand and two units of sand has been recovered and no previous case has been registered against him. Hence, he opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

5. Considering the fact that the petitioner had illegally quarrying the river sand, the occurrence had taken place and also the over tack against the petitioner is that the petitioner caused damage to ecology and water body, this Court is not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition stands dismissed.

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To

1.The Judicial Magistrate No.I,
Tindivanam.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Vellimedupettai Police Station,
Villupuram District.

3.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.



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