



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 17.10.2025

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K. RAJASEKAR

Crl.O.P.No.28460 of 2025

1. Pichandi
2. Ponnappan

... Petitioners

-VS-

State Rep by,
The Inspector of Police,
Vrinchipuram Police Station,
Vellore District.
(Crime No.196 of 2025)

... Respondent

Prayer:- Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of BNSS, 2023, to enlarge the petitioners on bail in the event of their arrest in Crime No.196 of 2025 pending investigation on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioners : Mr.M.Mariappan

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

ORDER



The petitioners, who apprehends arrest for the alleged offence punishable under Sections 296(b), 115(2), 118(1), 351(2) of BNS Act, 2023 r/w Section 4 of TNPHW Act in Crime No.196 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of prosecution is that the petitioners due to property dispute these petitioners attacked the defacto complainant and his family members using iron rod and caused severe injuries. Hence this case.

3. The learned counsel appearing for petitioners submitted that the petitioners have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution, and they have been falsely implicated in this case. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for respondent would submit that the injured discharged from the hospital and there was no previous case is pending against the petitioners. However, he vehemently opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

5. Considering the fact that the injured discharged from the hospital, no previous case is pending against the petitioners and 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 (15) days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order before the *learned Judicial Magistrate*

No.IV, Vellore, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of **Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty 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 and on further condition 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 petitioners shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., for the period of two weeks and thereafter as and when requires for interrogation until further orders;

(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



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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]*; and;

(f) if the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of B.N.S.

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To

1.The Judicial Magistrate No.IV, Vellore.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Vrinchipuram Police Station,
Vellore District.

3.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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