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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 19.11.2025

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K. RAJASEKAR

Crl.O.P.No.31620 of 2025

Govindasamy

... Petitioner

-Vs-

The State Rep by,
Inspector of Police,
Ranipet Police Station,
Ranipet District.
(Crime No.451 of 2025)

... Respondent

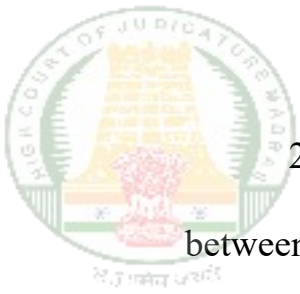
Prayer:- Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of BNSS Act, 2023, pleaded to enlarge the petitioner on bail in Crime No.451 of 2025 pending on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Munusamy

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

ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 03.10.2025, for the alleged offence punishable under Sections 296(b), 118(1), 109(1) of BNS, in Crime No.451 of 2025, on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.



2. The allegation against the petitioner is that, due to an illicit affair between the defacto complainant and the petitioner, on the date of the alleged occurrence, the petitioner waylaid the defacto complainant's husband and attacked him with a knife and also severed the little finger of the defacto complainant. Hence the present complaint was lodged and the petitioner was arrested.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that the petitioner has no bad antecedents and that he was arrested and he is in judicial custody since 03.10.2025. Hence, he prays for grant of bail to the petitioner.

4. Learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent police reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that the injured was discharged from the hospital and that the petitioner has no previous case pending against him. However, he opposes to grant bail to the petitioner.

5. Heard both sides and perused the materials available on record including the First Information Report.

6. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel on either side, the nature of the allegations, the fact that the injured was discharged from the hospital and that the petitioner has no previous case pending against him



and considering the period of incarceration undergone by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

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7. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his executing a bond for a sum of **Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand only)** with two sureties, for a like sum to the satisfaction of the *learned District Munsif cum Judicial Magistrate, Ranipet*, 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 stay Cuddalore and report before Cuddalore Old Town Police Station, daily at 10.30 a.m., for a period of three weeks and thereafter as and when required for interrogation.

[c] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

[d] the petitioner shall not tamper with the evidence or witness 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 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];

[f] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 B.N.S.

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Note:

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Ranipet.
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Ranipet Police Station,
Ranipet District.
Vellore, Vellore District.
- 3.The Superintendent,
Central Prison, Vellore.
- 4.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.
5. The Inspector of Police,
Cuddalore Old Town Police Station,
Cuddalore District.



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