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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 06/01/2025

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH
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S.Ravikumar,

... Petitioner/ Accused No.3

Vs

The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep by the Inspector of Police,
Avaniyapuram Police Station,
Madurai District.
Crime No. 643 of 2024.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.Kamesh N,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.B.Thanga Aravind,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL UNDER SECTION 482 OF BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.643 of 2024 on the file of the respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner / Accused No.3, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent Police for the offences under Sections 326(1), 296(b) and 351(3) of BNS, 2023 in Crime No.643 of 2024 on the file of the respondent Police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that there was a dispute between the defacto



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complainant's sister's son and Accused Nos.1 and 2. Keeping this in mind, the accused persons are said to have set ablaze the two-wheeler belonging to the defacto complainant and when the same was questioned, they scolded the defacto complainant in filthy language and fled away from the scene of occurrence. There are totally three accused persons in this case and the petitioner has been arrayed as Accused No.3.

3. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent Police.

4. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case and considering the fact that Accused Nos.1 and 2 were arrested in this case and released on bail and taking note of the fact that there are no previous cases against the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner subject to the following conditions.

5. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on anticipatory bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.VI, Madurai on condition that the petitioner shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten 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



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the satisfaction of the said Magistrate, on further condition that:

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[a] if the petitioner fails to surrender before the said Magistrate within a period of fifteen days, this order shall stand automatically cancelled;

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police as and when required for interrogation;

[c] the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

[d] the petitioner 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 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]; and;

[f] if the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS 2023.

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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE
NO.VI, MADURAI.

2 DO-THROUGH
THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
MADURAI.

3 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
AVANIYAPURAM POLICE STATION,
MADURAI DISTRICT.

4. THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT, MADURAI.

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