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(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 31.01.2025

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

CRL OP(MD). No.1966 of 2025

1. Rajeshkumar,

2. Murugan,

3. Kartthigairaja,

4. Rahul,

... Petitioners/ Accused

Vs

The State of Tamilnadu,
Rep. by the Inspector of Police,
Karuppayoorani Police Station,
Madurai District.
Crime No. 9/2025..

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners : Mr.T.Balakrishnan,
Advocate.

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



PRAYER:-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No. 9 of 2025 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners / Accused, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent Police for offence under Sections 296(b), 115(2), 118(1), 324(4), 329(4) and 351(ii) of BNS in Crime No.9 of 2025 on the file of the respondent Police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that there was a previous dispute between the parties and the defacto complainant is the father of Accused No.1. On the date of occurrence, the accused persons are said to have entered into the marriage hall and abused in filthy language and attempted to stop the marriage and attacked the defacto complainant with hands. There are totally four accused persons in this case and all of them have filed this anticipatory bail petition.

3. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners 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 nature of dispute between the parties and also taking note of the fact that the parties are close relatives and no one was seriously injured in this case and



there are no previous cases against the petitioners, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners subject to the following conditions.

5. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on anticipatory bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.II, Madurai, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) each 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 said Magistrate, on further condition that:

[a] if the petitioners fail to surrender before the said Magistrate within a period of fifteen days, this order shall stand automatically cancelled.

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

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



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[d] the petitioners 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 petitioners 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,
Madurai - 625 023.

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TO

1 THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE NO.II
MADURAI.

2 DO THROUGH THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE
MADURAI.



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

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

+1 CC to M/s.T.BALAKRISHNAN, Advocate (SR-1254[I] dated 31/01/2025)

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