



CRL OP(MD)No.9025 of 2025

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

Date : 21.05.2025

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice P.VADAMALAI

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Saravanakumar

... Petitioner

Vs

The State of Tamil Nadu Rep. by,
The Inspector of Police,
Paramakudi Town Police Station,
Ramanathapuram District.
(In Crime No.67 of 2025)

... Respondent

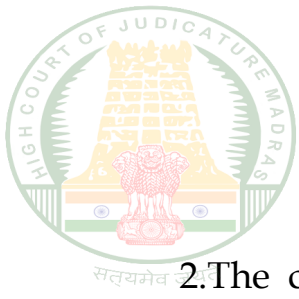
For Petitioner : Mr.C.Senthil Murugan
For Respondent : Mr.R.M.Anbunithi,
Additional Public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Sec.483 BNSS, 2023
PRAYER :-

For Bail in Crime No.67 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/Accused, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 27.02.2025, for the offences punishable under Sections 5(1) and 6 of POCSO Act, 2012, in Crime No.67 of 2025, on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.



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2.The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner sexually assaulted the victim child, who is aged about 12 years old, by attempting to penetrate victim child's penis into the mouth on the petitioner. Hence, the case was registered as against the petitioner.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He further submits that he is in custody for the past 85 days and he is ready to abide any condition imposed by this Court. Therefore, he prays for grant of bail.

4.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent submits that the investigation has been completed and the final report has also been filed through e-filing on 24.04.2025.

5.Considering the fact that the investigation has been completed and the charge sheet has been filed and considering the duration of custody, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner on certain conditions.

6.Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail, on executing a bond for a sum of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand only) with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Fast Track Mahila Court (Mahaleer Neethimandram),



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Ramanāthapuram, and on further conditions that,

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a)the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate/concerned court may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank Pass Book to ensure their identity;

b)the petitioner is directed to stay at Sivagangai and sign before the Sivagangai Town Police Station, daily at 10.30 a.m., and 05.30 p.m., until further orders;

c)the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness;

d)the petitioner shall not abscond during 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 of BNS 2023.

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.-I/ II /III/ IV)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.



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1. The Fast Track Mahila Judge (Mahaleer Neethimandaram), Ramanathapuram.
2. The Officer Incharge, District Prison,
Ramanathapuram.
3. The Inspector of Police,
Paramakudi Town Police Station,
Ramanathapuram District.
4. The Inspector of Police,
Sivagangai Town Police Station,
5. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

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