



CRL OP(MD). No.12043 of 2025

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 17.07.2025

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P.VADAMALAI

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Muthupandian

... Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs

The State of Tamilnadu,
Rep by the Inspector of Police,
Chinnakovilankulam Police Station,
Tenkasi District.
(Crime No.222 of 2025)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.B.Santhanam Rajesh Kumar

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

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Sec.483 of BNSS

PRAYER :- For Bail in Crime No.222 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 14.06.2025 for the offence punishable under Sections 194 of BNSS @ 103(1) of

<https://www.mhc.tn.gov.in/judis>



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BNS, in Crime No.222 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail,

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2. The case of the prosecution is that on 12.06.2025 at about 04.30 p.m., the deceased's daughter informed to the defacto complainant stating that her mother committed suicide by hanging. Further, the defacto complainant has lodged a complaint before the respondent and the same was investigated by the respondent police, it reveals that the petitioner had strangled the neck of the deceased and hanged her with the help of the saree. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He further submitted that the petitioner is the husband of the deceased and they having two children and he is 50% disability person. He further submitted that the deceased had eloped with one Sathish 4 years ago and she was staying at Trichy. He further submitted that the petitioner advice the deceased and stayed with her for the welfare of the children's future. At this juncture, the deceased creating reels and Tik Tok videos sharing in the social media, hence, the petitioner warned the deceased on 12.06.2025 and he left from home. Thereafter, the deceased committed suicide by hanging. He further submitted that the petitioner is ready and willing to abide by any stringent conditions that may be imposed by this Court. He



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further submitted that the petitioner is in judicial custody from 14.06.2025. Hence, he seeks bail to the petitioner.

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4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) submitted that due to some dispute, the petitioner had harassed the deceased and strangled the neck and murdered her. He further submitted that the investigation is at initial stage. If he released on bail, he may be abscond. Hence, he opposed for grant of bail to the petitioner.

5. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also the fact that the petitioner has committed serious offence and the investigation is at preliminary stage. Further, if enlarging the petitioner on bail at this point of time, when the offence is serious in nature and there is likelihood of the petitioner indulging in activities which would be prejudicial for investigation and considering the bad antecedents of the petitioner, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

6. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed. No costs.

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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
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Tenkasi District.
2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

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