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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

( Criminal Jurisdiction )

Date : 11/08/2025

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. VADAMALAI

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1.Siva,  
S/o.Lakshmanan

2.Veerakumar,  
S/o.Lakshmanan

3.Vetrivel,  
S/o.Muthukkanu

... Petitioners/ Accused

Vs

The State of Tamil Nadu,  
Rep. by, the Inspector of Police,  
Pattukottai Taluk Police Station,  
Thanjavur District.  
(Crime No.280 of 2025)

... Respondent/ Complainant

For Petitioners : Mr.K.M.Karunakaran,  
Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.S.Prakash,  
Government Advocate  
(Crl.Side)



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PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

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PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.280 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 the offences punishable under Sections 296(b), 326 and 351(3) of BNS, 2023 in Crime No.280 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioners and the de-facto complainant are relatives. Due to a family dispute between them, the petitioners abused the de-facto complainant in filthy language and threatened him with dire consequences by setting fire to the front door of his house using kerosene. Hence, the present case has been registered.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners are innocent persons and have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. They have been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that the petitioners are willing to abide by any conditions that may be imposed by this Court. Hence, he seeks anticipatory bail for the petitioners.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) submitted that there are totally three accused persons in this case. No one sustained any injuries due to the incident.



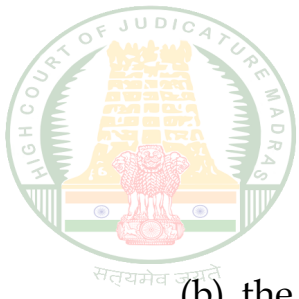
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He further submitted that the value of the damage is Rs.25,000/-. Hence, he opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

5. Taking into consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case and the nature of the offence, and also taking note of the fact that both the parties are close relatives, and that no one sustained any injuries due to the incident, and that as the date of registration of FIR is 31.07.2025, by this time material part of the investigation might have been completed, this court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners, subject to certain conditions.

6. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy made ready, before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Pattukottai on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five 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 learned Judicial Magistrate, Pattukottai, failing which, the petition for anticipatory bail shall stand dismissed and on further condition that:

(a) the petitioners and 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;



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(b) the petitioners shall deposit a sum of **Rs.5,000/- (Rupees Five Thousand only)** each to the credit of the Crime No.280 of 2025 on the file of the respondent-police, before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Pattukottai, and on such deposit being made, the learned Judicial Magistrate shall accept the sureties furnished by the petitioners and learned Judicial Magistrate shall deposit the said amount in an interest bearing Fixed Deposit in any nationalized Bank initially for a period of one year and renew them periodically until the final order / judgment is passed in the case in Crime No.280 of 2025. The Trial Court shall decide the entitlement to the deposit amount at the time of passing the final order or judgment;

(c) the petitioners shall furnish their residential address and mobile number to the learned Judicial Magistrate, Pattukottai. In the event of any change in their residential address, the petitioners shall report the same to the learned Judicial Magistrate, Pattukottai;

(d) the petitioners shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m. until further orders;

(e) the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

(f) the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

(g) on breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/ Trial



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Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners released on bail by the learned Magistrate/Trial Court themselves as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *P.K.Shaji Vs. State of Kerala [(2005) AIR SCW 5560]* and;

(h) if the accused/petitioners thereafter abscond, 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, Pattukottai.
  - 2 The Inspector of Police, Pattukottai Taluk Police Station, Thanjavur District.
  - 3 The Additional Public Prosecutor, Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.
- +1 CC to M/s.K.M.KARUNAKARAN, Advocate ( SR-8685[I] dated 12/08/2025 )

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