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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 19/08/2025

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.VADAMALAI

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A.Balamurugan @ Crime Bala,
S/o.Arjun,

..Petitioner/ A3

Vs

The State of Tamilnadu
rep.by The Inspector of Police,
Jaihindpuram Police Station (L & O),
Madurai District.
(Crime No.697 of 2025)

.. Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.A.Prabakaran,
Advocate.

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

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Sec.483 of BNSS

PRAYER :- For Bail in Crime No.697 of 2025 on the file of the Respondent Police.



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ORDER : This Court made the following order :-

The petitioner /A3, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 07.07.2025 for the offences punishable under Sections 191(2), 191(3), 296(b), 115(2), 118(1) and 351(3) of BNS, in Crime No.697 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the defacto complainant and one Nagu are close relatives. There was a dispute with regard to the ancestral property. Due to which, on 06.07.2025, at about 23.00 hours, the said Nagu, the petitioner and other accused persons went to the occurrence place and consumed liquor and talked loudly. When the same was questioned by the defacto complainant and his father, the petitioner and other accused persons abused the defacto complainant in filthy language and attacked him with knife, wooden log and stone and also caused injuries to him and also criminally intimidated him. 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 ready and willing to abide any conditions



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that may be imposed by this Court. He further submitted that A2, A4, A5 and A6 have been released on bail by the learned Judicial Magistrate. The petitioner is in custody from 07.07.2025 and hence, he seeks bail.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) submitted that there are totally eight accused persons involved in this case. The petitioner has been arrayed as A3. On 06.07.2025, at about 23.00 hours, the aunt son of the defacto complainant, the petitioner and other accused persons went to the occurrence place and consumed liquor and talked loudly. When the same was questioned by the defacto complainant and his father, the petitioner and other accused persons abused the defacto complainant in filthy language and attacked him with knife, wooden log and stone and also caused stab injuries to him and also criminally intimidated him. He further submitted that the injured has been discharged from the hospital on 11.07.2025 and the petitioner is having one previous case and the investigation is pending. Hence, he opposed to grant bail.

5. Taking into consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case and also taking note of the fact that the injured person has been discharged from the hospital on 11.07.2025 and that the date of occurrence is 06.07.2025, by this time most of the



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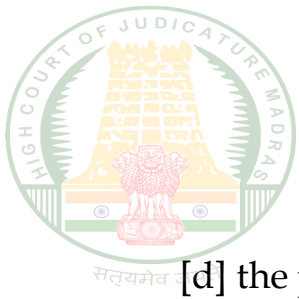
investigation might have been completed and also considering the fact that the
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petitioner/ Accused is in judicial custody from 07.07.2025, taking into consideration of
the period of incarceration and A2, A4, A5 and A6 have been released on bail by the
learned Judicial Magistrate, this court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner, subject
to the following conditions:

6. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on executing 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 learned Judicial Magistrate No.IV, Madurai, and
on further conditions that :-

[a] 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.

[b] The petitioner shall furnish his residential address and contact number to
the learned Judicial Magistrate No.IV, Madurai. If the petitioner changes his
residential address, he shall report the same to the learned Judicial Magistrate No.IV,
Madurai;

[c] the petitioner shall appear and sign before the respondent police daily i.e.,
10.00 a.m., until further orders.



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[d] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

[e] the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[f] 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].

[g] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 BNS.

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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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TO

1 The Judicial Magistrate No.IV,
Madurai.

2 Do Through the Chief Judicial Magistrate,
Madurai District.



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3 The Officer Incharge,
District Prison, Theni.

4 The Inspector of Police,
Jaihindpuram Police Station (L & O),
Madurai District.

5 The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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