



CRL OP(MD)No.14233 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
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Date : 28.08.2025

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr.Justice B.PUGALENDHI

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Ganapathy

... Petitioner / Accused No.1

Vs

The State of Tamilnadu
represented by
The Inspector of Police,
CSCID- Pudukkottai,
Pudukkottai District.
(Crime No.205 of 2025)

... Respondent / Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Prasanna

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

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.205 of 2025 on the file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police



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for the alleged offence punishable under Sections 6(4) of Tamilnadu Scheduled
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Commodities (RDCS) Order 1982 read with 7(1)a(ii) of Essential Commodities Act in
Crime No. 205 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 10.08.2025, when the respondent police were in routine checkup near the Pudukkottai District, they found the petitioner in illegal possession of 44 bags of rice amounting to 1100 Kgs of PDS rice. Hence the case.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution.

4.The learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) for the respondent submits that the petitioner is Accused No.1 in this case, who has transported 1100 Kgs of PDS rice in illegal manner. He further submits that the petitioner is having three other previous cases in similar nature.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of this case and also the fact that the



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petitioner is having three previous case in similar nature, this Court is not inclined
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to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6. Accordingly, this criminal original petition is dismissed.

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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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TO

1 The Inspector of Police,
Cscid- Pudukkottai,
Pudukkottai District.

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

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