



Crl.OP(MD)No.14221 of 2025

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 28.08.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

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Naveena

: Petitioner

Vs.

The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by the Inspector of Police,
Vigilance and Anti Corruption,
Thoothukudi District.
Cr.No.7 of 2025

: Respondent

PRAYER: Petition filed under Section 483 BNSS seeking bail in connection with Crime No.7 of 2025 on the file of the respondent Police.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Deenadhayalan

For Respondent : Mr.T.Thanga Aravind,
Government Advocate (Crl. Side)

ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested on 29.07.2025, in connection with the case in Crime No.7 of 2025 on the file of the respondent Police, registered for the offence u/s 7(a) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, has moved this application seeking bail.



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2.The prosecution case is that the petitioner, working as a Bill Collector in Kovilpatti Municipality Office, demanded a bribe of Rs.10,000/-. Accordingly, a trap was laid and the petitioner was arrested on the spot along with the tainted money.

3.Learned Counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent and has nothing to do with the alleged offence.

4.Learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that the investigation is still pending.

5.Considering the nature of offence, the fact that the petitioner was arrested along with the tainted money and also considering that the investigation is still pending, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage.

Accordingly, this criminal original petition stands dismissed.

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Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

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- 1 The Principal Sessions Judge,
Thoothukudi.
- 2 The Officer Incharge,
Special Women Prison, Tirunelveli.
- 3 The Inspector of Police,
Vigilance and Anti Corruption,
Thoothukudi District.
- 4 The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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