



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.14737 of 2025

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 18.11.2025

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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A.Gopalakrishnan

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by the Inspector of Police,
District Crime Branch,
Karur, Karur District.
(Crime No.3 of 2025)

... Respondent

For Petitioners : Mr.G.Mathavan

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

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Cr.No.03 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police.



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ORDER: The Court made the following order :-

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The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 61(2), 316(2), 318(4), 336(3) and 340(2) of BNS, 2023, in Crime No.03 of 2025, on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is the defacto complainant is the Chief Manager, Deputy Recovery and Legislation, Regional Office, Namakkal. One Baskar, who is working as an Appraiser in the Canara Bank, Kulithalai Branch pledged the fake jewels in the name of other accused persons and caused financial loss to the said Bank and the other accused colluded with the said Baskar and cheated the said Bank. Hence, a case has been registered as against the petitioner.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case and the petitioner has not committed any offence. He seeks this Court to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) appearing for the



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respondent submitted that the offences committed by the petitioner are serious in nature.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

6.Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, on condition that the petitioner shall execute 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 the Learned Judicial Magistrate No. II , Kulithalai, Karur District, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy made ready and on further conditions that:

[a]the petitioner and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

[b] the petitioner is directed to deposit a sum of Rs.1,50,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Fifty Thousand Only), to the credit of Crime No.3 of 2025 before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.II , Kulithalai, Karur District. After receipt of entire amount, the learned Judicial Magistrate, shall deposit the said amount in



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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.3 of 2025. The learned Judicial Magistrate or Trial Court shall pass orders regarding entitlement of the said amount in its final order/Judgment.

[c]the petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., until further orders.

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

[e]the petitioner shall not abscond 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 is 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 of BNS.

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1. Judicial Magistrate No. II,
Kulithalai.Karur District.
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
District Crime Branch, Karur District.
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench Of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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