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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 22.09.2025

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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Jasmine Girio

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State of Tamil Nadu,
Inspector of Police,
Colachel Police Station,
Kanyakumari District.
(Crime No.217 of 2025)

... Respondent

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Kanagarajan

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

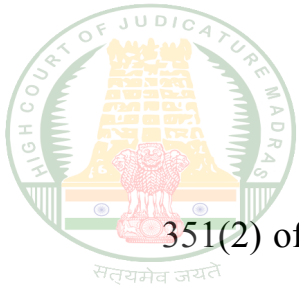
PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Cr.No.217 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 for the offences punishable under Sections 191(2), 191(3), 296(b), 118(1),



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351(2) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNS), 2023, in Crime No.217 of 2025,

on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that on 11.08.2025 the 1st accused snatched the mobile phone and the accused Nos. 2& 3 snatched the ATM card from the defacto complainant and demanded him to tell the pin number of ATM card and the 1st accused assaulted the defacto complainant with iron rod. All the three accused withdrew the amount of Rs. 15,000/- from the account of the defacto complainant. 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 he has not committed any offence. Further, the other accused was also granted anticipatory bail. He seeks this Court to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) appearing for the respondent submitted that the offences committed by the petitioner are serious in nature.

5.Since the other accused was granted anticipatory bail, this Court is



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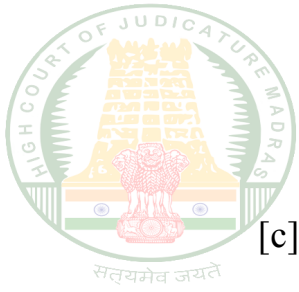
inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

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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 Judicial Magistrate, Eraniel, Kanyakumari District, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order 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.15,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Thousand Only), to the credit of Crime No.217 of 2025 before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Eraniel, Kanyakumari District. After receipt of entire amount, the 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.217 of 2025. The learned Judicial Magistrate or Trial Court shall pass orders regarding entitlement of the said amount in its final order/Judgment.



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[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.

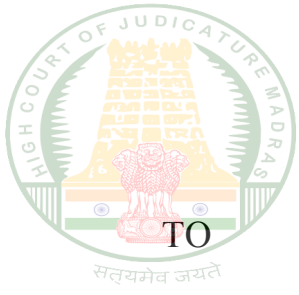
[e]the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

[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,
Eraniel, Kanyakumari District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Colachel Police Station,
Kanyakumari District.

3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench Of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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