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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

( Criminal Jurisdiction )

Date : 08.10.2025

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

CRL OP(MD)No.16847 of 2025

Ravi ...Petitioner

Vs.

The State of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by the Inspector of Police,
Pattukottai Town Police Station,
Thanjavur District.
(Crime No.605 of 2025) ... Respondent

For Petitioner : Mr.K.M.Karunakaran

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.605 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 offences punishable under Sections 303(2) of BNS, 2023, r/w Section 21(1) of Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 in Crime No.605 of 2025, on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that the police seized 1 unit of river sand from a TATA vehicle. 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. 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. Further, the petitioner has 15 previous cases among which one is a murder case.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is 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, Pattukottai, 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 alone shall make a non refundable deposit of Rs. 50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand only) to the credit of the Madras High Court Madurai Bench Advocate Clerk's Welfare Association, Madurai in Indian Bank, High Court Madurai Bench Branch, Account No.496039124, IFSC No.IDIB000H040, without prejudice to his contentions and rights before the trial Court, and on such deposit being made, the learned Judicial Magistrate shall accept the sureties furnished by the petitioner;

[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.



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[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.

**08.10.2025**

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TO

1.The Judicial Magistrate,
Pattukottai.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Pattukottai Town Police Station,
Thanjavur District.

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



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