



CRL OP(MD). No.18176 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 17/11/2025

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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1. R.Subramani

2. S.Nagarajan

3. Balaji

... Petitioners/Accused

Vs

State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep By, The Inspector of Police,
Alanganallur Police Station,
Madurai District.
(Cr.No.402 of 2025)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioners : M/s R.J.Karthick

For Respondent : Mr.A.S.Abul Kalaam Azad
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)



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PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

C-38AB. For Anticipatory Bail in Cr.No.402 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners/accused who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 296(b), 329(4), 132 and 351(2) of BNS and the corresponding section 353, 503 and 506 of IPC in Crime No.402 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 07.10.2025, a public tender was conducted by the Alanganallur Municipality, Madurai District, for leasing shops situated near the Dr. Ambedkar Bus Stand, Alanganallur. During the process, Shops Nos.11 and 14 were bid for amounts lower than the minimum tender value fixed by the Public Works Department (PWD). Consequently, the Municipality decided to conduct a



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re-tender for the said shops. Thereafter, the petitioners allegedly entered the Municipality office, locked the door from inside, and intimidated the subordinates of the defacto complainant. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners submits that the petitioners are innocent persons and they have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent Police submits that the petitioners allegedly entered the Municipality office, locked the door from inside, and intimidated the subordinates of the defacto complainant. Therefore, he opposed for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

5. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case and since the petitioners have complied with the condition imposed in the interim anticipatory bail regularly, the interim anticipatory bail already granted is made absolute and this Court is inclined to grant



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anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

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6. Accordingly, this Petition is allowed and the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or their appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, before the learned Judicial Magistrate, Vadipatti, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) each with two sureties, each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the respondent Police or to the Police Officer, who intends to arrest or to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further conditions that:

(a) the petitioners and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity;

(b) the petitioners shall report before the respondent police as and when required for investigation;

(c) the petitioners shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;



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(d) the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

(e) 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 petitioners 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]*; and;

(f) if the accused thereafter abscond, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS 2023.

(S S Y J)
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S.SRIMATHY,J

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TO

1. The Judicial Magistrate,
Vadipatti.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Alanganallur Police Station,
Madurai District.
3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

ORDER

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