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CRL OP(MD) NO.21810 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 28.11.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MRS JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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Petitioner(s)

Vs

The state Of Tamilnadu Rep By the
Inspector Of Police,
City Crime Branch,
Trichy City.
(Crime no. 16 of 2025)

Respondent(s)

For Petitioner(s):

M.T.Palanisamy

For Respondent(s):

Mr.A.S.Abul Kalaam Azad,
Government Advocate (crl. Side)

Prayer: C-38AB. For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No. 16 of 2025 on the file of the respondent Police.

ORDER

The petitioner/A-3, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 and 109 of IPC, in Crime No. 16 of 2025, on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the subject property belongs to the Government poramboke land. The accused persons have created a false



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document regarding revenue records and registered the settlement deed in favour of 2nd accused and his son and this petitioner stood as witness. 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 police submitted that this petitioner is an attested witness.

5. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the fact that this petitioner is only an attested witness 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 Judicial Magistrate Court No. I, Trichy, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy



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of this order and on further conditions that:

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[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 report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., for a period of one week and cooperate with the interrogation.

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

[d]the petitioner 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 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].

[f]If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS.

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- To
1. The Inspector Of Police,
City Crime Branch,
Trichy City.
(Crime no. 16 of 2025)
 2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.