



CRL OP(MD). No.23464 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 18/12/2025

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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Mahendran

... Petitioner/Accused

Vs

The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep By, The Inspector of Police,
Thazhamuthunagar Police Station,
Thoothukudi.
Cr.No.710 of 2025..

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr. N. Balasubramanian,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar,
Additional Public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Sec.483 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Bail in Cr.No.710 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-



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The petitioner / accused, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 14.10.2025 for the offence punishable under Sections 103(1) of BNS, 2023 in Crime No.710 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that due to previous enmity the petitioner herein and other accused are said to have attacked the deceased with knife and thereby, caused his death. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has not committed any offences as alleged by the prosecution. He would further submit that the petitioner is no way connected with the case, a false case has been lodged as against the petitioner. He would further submit that the petitioner is in custody from 14.10.2025. Hence, he seeks bail.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent would submit that based on the confession of co-accused the petitioner herein is arrayed as accused and that there is no previous case



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pending against the petitioner. He further submitted that investigation of the case is pending and hence, he objected to grant bail to the petitioner.

5. Considering the specific overt act attributed against the petitioner and that there is no previous case pending against him and also considering the period of incarceration suffered by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner, subject to the following conditions:

6. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on executing a separate 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, Thoothukudi District, and on further conditions that :-

[a] 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 petitioner shall appear before the



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respondent Police daily at 10.30 am until further orders;

[c] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

[d] the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness 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 petitioners 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];

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

(S S Y J)
18.12.2025

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1. The Judicial Magistrate No.II, Thoothukudi District
2. Do-Through The Chief Judicial Magistrate,
Tuticorin District.
3. The Superintendent, Central Prison, Palayamkottai.
4. The Inspector of Police,
Thazhamuthunagar Police Station,
Thoothukudi.
5. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



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