



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.23799 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 19.12.2025

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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1. Vasu

2. Vijayalakshmi

... Petitioner(s)

Vs.

The State of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by the Inspector of Police,
Aravakurichi Police Station,
Karur District.
(Crime No.365 of 2025)

... Respondent

For Petitioners : Mr.S.Harish

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

For Intervenor : Mr.S. Gokulraj

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Cr.No.365 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER: The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police



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for the offences punishable under Sections 329(3), 324(3) of BNS, 2023, and Section 3 of PPDL Act in Crime No.365 of 2025, on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that on 09.12.2025 when the defacto complainant was in present in the scene of occurrence, the accused persons unlawfully broke and damaged a government-owned water pipe, thereby committing an illegal act of mischief and causing disruption to the public water supply. Hence, a case has been registered as against the petitioners.

3.The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners have been falsely implicated in this case and they have not committed any offence. He seeks this Court to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) appearing for the respondent submitted that the offences committed by the petitioners are serious in nature. Further,there is no previous case against the petitioners.

5.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is



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

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6. Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance, 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 Learned Judicial Magistrate, Aravakurichi, Karur District, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order made ready 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 Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

[b] the petitioners shall pay Rs.2,000/- jointly to the concerned Karur Municipal Corporation and the Karur Municipal Corporation shall repair the damage made to the water pipe.

[c] the petitioners shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., for a period of two weeks and thereafter, as and when required.

[d] the petitioners shall not tamper with the evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

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

[f] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned



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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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TO

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



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