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CrI.OP.No. 1384 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 23.01.2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.RAJASEKAR

CRL OP NO. 1384 of 2026

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...Petitioner/A1

Versus

The State rep. by

The Inspector Of Police

Tiruvannainallur Police Station

Villupuram District

Crime No. 563 of 2025.

Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in the event of his arrest pending investigation in Cr.No. 563 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.Raji

For Respondent : Ms.J.R. Archana

Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

ORDER

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 109(1), 118(1), 296(b), 329(3) and 351(3) of BNSS, 2023 in Crime No. 563 of 2025 on the file of the respondent Police, seek anticipatory bail.



2.The allegation against the petitioner is that the petitioner herein joined hands with other accused, due to previous enmity, went to the shop of the de-facto complainant and attacked the de-facto complainant with knife and iron rod. In this regard, A1 was arrested and still in custody. The petitioner herein is ranked as A2.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has not caused any grievous injury to the de-facto complainant and he is not having any previous case. He further submitted that the injured is discharged from the hospital. However, the petitioner is ready to co-operate with the investigation, and therefore, the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not necessary. Hence, he prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal side) for the respondent police, reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that the injured is discharged from the hospital and the petitioner is not having any previous case. He opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.



5. Heard the learned counsels and perused the materials available on record.

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6. Considering the nature of allegations, and the fact that the petitioner is not having any previous case, that the injured is discharged from the hospital, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

7. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy made ready, before the learned **District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate, Tiruvennainallur, on** condition that the petitioner shall execute a bond for a sum of **Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand Only) with two sureties** each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate concerned and on further condition that:

(a) If the petitioners fail to surrender before the concerned Magistrate, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, this order shall stand automatically cancelled;



[b] the sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression in the Application for Surety ship [Judicial Form No.46 annexed to 'The Criminal Rules of Practice, 2019']. The learned Magistrate shall obtain a copy of any one of the identity proofs to ensure their identity;

[c]the petitioner shall report before the respondent Police daily at 6.00 pm for a period of three weeks and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation;

[d] On breach of any of the aforementioned conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to pass appropriate orders against the petitioner in accordance with law as if the aforementioned conditions have been imposed and the petitioner 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)13 SCC 283]**;

[e] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of B.N.S.

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To

1. The District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate, Tiruvennainallur.

2. The Inspector Of Police
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3. The Public Prosecutor, High Court of Madras.



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