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CrI.OP.No.2028 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 06.02.2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE K.RAJASEKAR

**CrI.O.P.No.2028 of 2026**

Parthasarathy

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State Rep by its  
The Inspector of Police,  
Adhiyamankottai Police Station,  
Dharmapuri District,

... Respondent

**PRAYER :** Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya  
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in the event of  
their arrest by the respondent police pending investigation in Cr.No.333 of  
2025 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.Johnson Yuvaraj

For Respondent : Ms.J.R.Archana  
Government Advocate (CrI. Side)

**ORDER**

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest for the alleged offence under  
Sections 331(3), 331(4) and 305(a) of BNSs in Cr.No.333 of 2025 on the file  
of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.



2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner herein joining hands with other accused were involved in stealing of various stationery items and computers and their accessories, worth about Rs.1,70,000/- .

Hence, the case has been lodged for taking action against the petitioner.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is ranked as A3 and he is not involved in any offence and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that he was not aware about the property being stolen by A1 in this case and the petitioner is ready to cooperate for the investigation and also ready to abide by any conditions that may be imposed by this Court. Hence, he prayed for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side), appearing for the respondent police, reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that A1 in this case was arrested in connection with another case and at that time the properties concerned with this case were also seized and so far no one was arrested and the petitioner is not having any previous case. Hence, he vehemently opposed the grant of anticipatory bail.

5. Heard both sides and perused the materials available on record.

6. Considering the nature of allegations, the fact that investigation is pending in this case and the petitioner is not having any previous case and



properties were also recovered, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner, subject to certain conditions.

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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 (15) days from the date on which the order copy made, before the learned **Judicial Magistrate-II, Dharmapuri** 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 learned Magistrate concerned, and on further condition that:

(a) If the petitioner fails to surrender before the concerned Magistrate within a period of fifteen (15) 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 identify proofs to ensure their identity;

(c) **The petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., for a period of three weeks and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation;**



(d) On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate actions against the petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner released on anticipatory bail by the learned Magistrate/Trial Court himself as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *P.K.Shaji v. State of Kerala [(2005) AIR SCW 5560]*;

(e) If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS Act.

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To

1. The Judicial Magistrate-II, Dharmapuri
2. The Inspector of Police,  
Adhiyamankottai Police Station,  
Dharmapuri District
3. The Public Prosecutor  
High Court of Madras, Chennai 600 104.



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