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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 21-04-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE C.KUMARAPPAN

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Subramani

..Petitioner

Vs

The State,
Represented by Inspector of Police,
Shoolagiri Police Station,
Krishnagiri District.
(Crime No.0139/2026)

..Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to grant Anticipatory Bail to the petitioner in the event of the arrest by the respondent police in Crime No.139/2026 dated 24.03.2026 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner:

Mr.Hemnaag.I

For Respondent:

Mr.P.Dhileepan
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

The petitioner apprehends arrest for the alleged offence under Sections 318(4), 318(2) of the Bharathiya Nyaya Sanitha, 2023 corresponding provision is Section 420 and 417 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 in Crime No.0139 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police seeks anticipatory bail.



2. The case of the prosecution is that the complainant is the SRO, Shoolagiri. The allegation against the petitioner is that the petitioner has fabricated legal heir certificate and death certificate. Hence, this complaint.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that he is a lawyer by profession and drafted the subject sale deed. He further submitted that the petitioner being a lawyer has drafted the document and assisted in the execution of the document for registration and he has no role to play in respect of such fabrication. Hence, he prays to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent police reiterated the prosecution case and opposed the grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

5. I have given anxious consideration to the submissions made by the learned counsel on either side.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and considering the above contention raised and upon the fact that the petitioner being a practicing lawyer, this Court is of the firm view that custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required. Hence, this Court is inclined to enlarge the petitioner



on anticipatory bail 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 is made ready, before the **learned Judicial Magistrate No. 1, Hosur**, 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 conditions:

(a) If the petitioner fails to surrender before the concerned learned 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, everyday at 10.30 a.m., for a period of one month 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 petitioner thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS Act.

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To

1. The Judicial Magistrate No.1, Hosur.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Shoolagiri Police Station,
Krishnagiri District.
3. The Public Prosecutor, High Court of Madras.



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