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CrI.O.P.No.12867 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 14.05.2026

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE **P.DHANABAL**

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C/o. Chidambaram
No.233, Rajiv Gandhi Nagar,
Kudisai Area, Perambur Barrackes,
Chennai – 600 012.

... Petitioner

Vs.

State Rep. By
The Inspector of Police,
K7 ICF Police Station,
Chennai.
(Cr. No.108 of 2026)

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of BNSS, 2023
pleased to enlarge the petitioner on bail in the event of his apprehending
arrest at the hands of the respondent pending investigation in K7 ICF
Cr.No.108 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Krishna Moorthy

For Respondent : Mr.A.Gopinath
Government Advocate (CrI.Side)



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ORDER

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The petitioner, who apprehends arrest in the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 296 (b), 115 (2), 351 (2) of BNS Act and Section 4 of TNPHW Act in connection with Cr.No.108 of 2026, seeks anticipatory bail.

2 The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner waylaid the defacto complainant, abused in filthy language and threatened with hands. Hence, a case was registered.

3 The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has been falsely implicated in this case. Hence, he seeks anticipatory bail.

4 The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that there are 12 previous cases pending against the petitioner and the injured has been discharged from the Hospital.

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



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Considering the nature of the offence and the fact that the injured was discharged from the Hospital and though there are some previous cases pending against the petitioner which are not similar in nature and in all, bail was granted to him, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner subject to the following 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 **Metropolitan Magistrate – V, Egmore** on condition that the petitioner shall execute a 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 Magistrate concerned and on further condition that:

[a] the petitioner shall report before the Tambaram Police Station, daily for a period of 30 days and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.

[b] the petitioner shall not, directly or indirectly, make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer;



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[c] the petitioner shall not leave India without the previous permission of the Court;

[d] the petitioner shall not abscond 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 petitioner in accordance with law as if the 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)AIR SCW 5560].

[f] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 B.N.S.2023.

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To

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Egmore.
2. The Inspector of Police,
K7 ICF Police Station,
Chennai.
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.



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P.DHANABAL, J.

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