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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 23-10-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE N.RAMESH

CRL OP No. 30648 of 2026

CNR: {HCMA012519152026}

Kalaivanan
S/o Anbalagan
No.144, Indra Quarters
Vanur taluck, Olagapuram,
Villupuram District.

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

State Rep by its, Inspector of Police
D-1 Ramanathapuram Police Station,
Coimbatore.
Crime No.98 of 2026.

..Respondent(s)

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in SC No.252 of 2026 in Cr.No.98 of 2026 pending trial on the file IV Additional District and sessions Judge at Coimbatore and thus render Justice.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.G.Pandian

For Respondent(s): Mr.M.M.I.KHALEEL,
GOVERNMENT ADVOCATE (CRL.SIDE)

ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 16.04.2026 for the alleged offences under Sections 109(1), 103(1), 117(2) of BNS, in Crime No. 98 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that, under the influence of alcohol, a

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wordy quarrel arose between the petitioner and the defacto complainant, during which the petitioner assaulted the defacto complainant, causing injuries, to which he later succumbed. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has been falsely implicated in this case and that he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He further submitted that the petitioner is working as a painter at Coimbatore, and that the victim sustained injuries due to a quarrel between the petitioner and others. He further submitted that the petitioners are ready to abide by any stringent conditions that may be imposed by this Court, and hence, prayed for the grant of bail

4. Per contra, the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the Respondent Police reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that the petitioner, under the influence of alcohol, attacked the deceased, who later succumbed to his injuries. He further submitted that the investigation completed and the charge sheet has also been filed. Now the case is posted before the trial Court for framing of charges. Hence, he opposed the grant of bail to the Petitioner.

5. I have given my anxious consideration to either side submissions and perused the materials available on record.

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6. Considering the nature of the allegations, the fact that the investigation completed and the charge sheet filed and yet to be taken on file and also considering the period of incarceration already undergone by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner subject to certain conditions.

7. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his executing a bond for a sum of **Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand only)** with **two sureties each**, for a like sum to the satisfaction of the **learned IV Additional District and Sessions Judge, Coimbatore,** and on further conditions that:

[a] the sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression in the Application for Surety slip [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;

[b] the petitioner shall report before the Trial Court daily at 10.30 a.m., until further orders;

[c] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

[d] the petitioner shall not tamper with the evidence or witness either during investigation or trial;

[e] 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

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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];**

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

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Note:

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To

1.The IV Additional District and Sessions Judge, Coimbatore.

2. The Inspector of Police
D-1 Ramanathapuram Police Station,
Coimbatore.

3.The Superintendent, Central Prison,
Coimbatore.

4.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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