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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 27-10-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE N.RAMESH

CRL OP No. 30616 of 2026

CNR: {HCMA012534682026}

S.Gunaseelan
S/o Subramaniyan,
No 3/12, Middle Salai, Nagakudaiyan,
Nagapattinam District.

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

The State Rep. by, The Inspector of Police
Vedaranyan Police Station,
Nagapattinam District.
Crime No.286 of 2026.

..Respondent(s)

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, Act, 2023, to enlarge the Petitioner on bail in the event of his arrest in Cr.No.286 of 2026 on the file of the Respondent Police and thus render justice.

For Petitioner(s): K.Govi Ganesan
For Respondent(s): Mr.R.Rajasekaran, Govt.Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

The petitioner apprehends arrest for the alleged offence under Sections 296(b), 132 and 79 of BNS, in Crime No.286 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

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2. The case of the prosecution is that, on 06.10.2026 at about 6.30 p.m., the accused persons, including the petitioner, allegedly entered the Tahsildar's office at Vedaranyam and insisted on permission to extract vandal soil under G.O. No. 50. When the de facto complainant, the Tahsildar, refused permission, they allegedly shouted at her, obstructed the officials from discharging their duties, created a disturbance in the office, and recorded and circulated videos of the incident on social media. Hence, the complaint.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has not committed any such offences as alleged by the prosecution and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that the co-accused A1 and A2 were granted bail and that the petitioner is ready to abide by any stringent conditions that may be imposed by this Court. Hence, he prayed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the respondent Police, reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that there are three accused in this case, and the petitioner is ranked as A3 and that the investigation in this case is pending. Hence, he opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

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5. Considering the serious nature of the allegations and the specific overt act attributed to the petitioner in the commission of the offense, this Court is not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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To
1. The Inspector of Police
Vedaranyan Police Station,
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Crime No.286 of 2026.

2. The Public Prosecutor, High Court of Madras.

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