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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. 30905 of 2026

CNR: {HCMA012566912026}

Vasikaran
S/o Velu,
Residential No.Thamari Veethi,
Pattanur, Vanur Taluk,
Villupuram.

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

The State Rep By, The Inspector of Police
Auroville Police Station,
Villupuram District.
Crime No.287 of 2026

..Respondent(s)

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to enlarge on bail in Crime No.287 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.A.Samson

For Respondent(s): Mr.M.M.I. Khaleel
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 01.09.2026 for the alleged offence under Sections 191(2), 191(3), 126(2), 296(b), 351(3), 103 of BNS, in Crime No.287 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

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2. The case of the prosecution is that, due to previous enmity, the petitioner along with the other accused, intercepted the deceased while he was riding a two-wheeler on 31.08.2026. A1 and A2 allegedly attacked the deceased with a knife, causing a fatal head injury. The deceased was declared brought dead at the hospital. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has been falsely implicated in the present case and that he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He further submitted that the petitioner is in judicial custody since 01.09.2026. He further submitted that he is ready to abide by any conditions that may be imposed by this Court. Hence, he prays for grant of bail to the Petitioner.

4. Per contra, the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) appearing for the Respondent Police reiterated the prosecution case and submitted that the petitioner is arrayed as A2 in this case. The specific overt act against the petitioner is that he attacked the victim with knife on his face. He further submitted that the investigation is almost completed. However, 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. It is a case of murder. The allegation against the petitioner is that he attacked the victim with a knife on his face and head. Considering the nature of the allegations, the period of incarceration already undergone by the petitioner and that the investigation is almost completed and that the petitioner has no previous case pending against him, this Court is inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail 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 Judicial Magistrate**, **Vanur,** and on further conditions that:

[a] 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 the identity proofs to ensure their identity;

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police twice daily at 10.30 a.m., and 5.30 p.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

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appropriate orders against the petitioner in acc with 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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To

1.The Judicial Magistrate, Vanur.

2. The Inspector of Police
Auroville Police Station,
Villupuram.

3.The Superintendent, Central Prison,
Cuddalore.

4.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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