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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. 30878 of 2026

CNR: {HCMA012566942026}

Kuralarasan @ Kutty
S/o Iranian,
No.2006, Ambedkar Nagar 6th Street,
Adambakka, Velachery,
Chennai District.

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

State rep by the Inspector of Police
S-8, Adambakkam Police Station,
Chennai District.
Cr.No.2268/2016

..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. 159 of 2018 pending on the file of Additional District and Sessions Court, Chengalpattu and thus render justice.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.P.Muthamizhselvakumar

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

ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 02.06.2026 for the alleged offence punishable under Sections 147, 148, 341, 302, 120(B) & 149 of IPC, in connection with S.C. No.159 of 2018 in Crime No.2268 of 2016, on the file of the respondent Police, seeks bail.

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2. It is a case of jumped bail. The petitioner is facing trial in S.C.No.159 of 2018 on the file of the Additional District and Sessions Court, Chengalpattu, for the offences under Sections 147, 148, 341, 302, 120(B) & 149 of IPC. Since the petitioner did not appear before the Additional District and Sessions Judge, Chengalpattu on 23.06.2025, the learned Sessions Judge issued Non Bailable Warrant against the petitioner and pursuant to which, the petitioner was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 02.06.2026.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner did not appear before the Court on 23.06.2025 and thereby, the trial Court has issued NBW against him. He further submitted that the petitioner could not appear before the trial Court on the hearing dates due to unavoidable circumstances and that he is in judicial custody in another case. He further submitted that NBW was issued against him, when he detained under Act 14 of 1982. Therefore, he prays to grant bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) would submit that the has been absconding from 23.06.2025 and due to his absence, there is no progress in the trial. He would further submit that the option available to the petitioner is that he could surrender before the concerned Court and file a petition for recalling the NBW. He further submitted that the petitioner has 22 previous cases pending against him. Now, the case is posted before the trial Court on 24.11.2026, for the appearance of the parties. Hence, he opposed to

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grant bail to the petitioner.

5. Considering the grave nature of offence, the petitioner's non-appearance from 23.06.2025 till the execution of the warrant, and the fact that the charges are framed, and as no satisfactory reason has been stated for such non-appearance, this Criminal Original Petition stands dismissed.

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To

1.The Inspector of Police
S-8, Adambakkam Police Station,
Chennai District.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

3. The Superintendent, Central Prison,
Puzhal.

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