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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 10-11-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE N.RAMESH

CRL OP No. 32494 of 2026

K.T.Senthilarasu,
S/o.Thangavelu,
Permanenetely residing at,
No.37, Bharathi Park Cross Road No.2,
Near Ambaal Driving School,
Saibaba Colony,
Coimbatore-641 011. ...Petitioner/Accused

Vs

The State by
The Inspector of Police,
AWPS Central Police Station,
Coimbatore. ...Respondent/Complainant
(Crime No.54 of 2026)

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to enlarge the petitioner on bail in respect of Crime No.54 of 2026 on the file of the Inspector of Police, AWPS Central Police Station, Coimbatore.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.B.Kumarasamay

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

O R D E R

The Petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 10.10.2026 for the alleged offence under Section 75(2) & 351(3) of BNS 2023, in Crime No.54 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

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2. The case of the proseuction, in brief, is that the petitioner, who runs a ladies' hostel, allegedly misbehaved with the de-facto complainant, a hostel warden who had borrowed Rs.3,00,000/- from him, and subsequently demanded immediate repayment of the loan, compelling her to pledge her jewels and seek financial assistance from her friends to settle the amount. Hence, the case.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submitted that the petitioner has been in judicial custody since 10.10.2026. He also further submitted that there had been a monetary transaction between the petitioner and the de-facto complainant and the petitioner is ready to abide by any stringent 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 had misused his position as the owner of the ladies' hostel and attempted to misbehave with the de-facto complainant. He further submitted that the allegations are serious in nature. Hence, he opposed the grant of bail to the petitioner.

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

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, nature of the allegations, the fact that the de-facto complainant has already repaid the entire loan amount to the petitioner and the further fact that the petitioner has been in custody for a considerable period, 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 him 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 (Additional Mahila Court), Coimbatore** 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;
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> **[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., for a period of 10 days and thereafter as and when required for interrogation;**
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> [c] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial;

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[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 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
(Additional Mahila Court), Coimbatore.

2.The Inspector of Police,
AWPS Central Police Station,
Coimbatore.

3.The Superintendent,
Central Prison, Coimbatore.

4.The Public Prosecutor, High Court, Madras.

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