



CrL.M.P.(MD) No.181 of 2026

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED :12.02.2026

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN
AND
THE HONOURABLE MS.JUSTICE R. POORNIMA**

**CRL.MP(MD) No.181 of 2026
in
CrL.A(MD)No.19 of 2026**

1.Panchandi @ Pethurumani
2.Inbaraj @ Edward Inbaraj
3.Muthukumar

: Petitioners/A1 to A3

Vs.

The State of Tamil Naud
Rep. By The Inspector of Police,
Munneerpallam Police Station,
Tirunelveli District.
(Crime No.118/2013)

: Respondent/Complainant

Prayer: Petition filed under Section 430 of BNSS/u/s/389 of Cr.P.C) to suspend the sentence imposed on the petitioners, in S.C.No.22/2013, dated 07/11/2025, on the file of the III Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tirunelveli and enlarge the petitioners on bail, till the disposal of the above said Criminal Appeal.



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For Petitioners : Mr.R.John Sathyan
Senior Counsel
for Mr.D.Saravanan

For Respondent : Mr..R.Meenakshi Sundaram
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN, J.]

This criminal miscellaneous petition has been filed seeking to suspend the sentence imposed on the petitioners by the III Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tirunelveli, in S.C.No.22 of 2013, dated 07/11/2025 and to enlarge the petitioners on bail pending disposal of the criminal appeal.

2.The petitioners stand convicted and sentenced as under:-

Section of Law	Sentence of imprisonment	Fine amount
302 IPC	Life Imprisonment	Rs.1,000/-, in default to undergo 6 months RI
341 IPC	One month SI	Rs.500/-, in default to undergo one week SI

3.Heard the learned counsel on either side and perused the materials available on record.



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4.The petitioners have failed to make out a *prima facie* case for grant of suspension of sentence, hence we are of the opinion that it is not a fit case for grant of suspension of sentence to the petitioners.

5.Accordingly this Criminal Miscellaneous Petition stands **dismissed.**

[G.K.I., J.] & [R.P., J.]
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NCC : Yes / No
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To,

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- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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