



CRL OP(MD). No.1837 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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Dated : 09/02/2026

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THE HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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Sundharalingam,

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Tamilnadu Rep by
The Sub Inspector of Police,
Koomapatty Police Station,
Virudunagar District.
Crime No.9 of 2026.

... Respondent

PRAYER :- For Bail in Crime no.9 of 2026 on the file of the Respondent Police.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Paranjothi,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar,
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 06.01.2026 for the offences punishable under Sections 333, 296(b) and 103(1) BNS, in Crime No.9 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.



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2. The allegation against the petitioner is that on 06.01.2026, at about 01.45 am, due to a wordy quarrel between the petitioner and the deceased, the petitioner trespassed into the house, quarrelled with the deceased, and stabbed him with a knife. Owing to the injuries sustained, the deceased died. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned Counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and he is not committed any offence. He further submitted that the petitioner is ready to co-operate for the investigation.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that the petitioner is having two previous cases. He further submitted that the investigation is still pending.

5. Taking into consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case and also consideration the period of incarceration suffered by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner, subject to the following conditions:



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6. Accordingly, this Petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on executing a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) with two sureties, each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Judicial Magistrate, Watrap, and on further conditions that :-

[a] the sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank pass Book to ensure their identity.

[b] the petitioner shall report before the Inspector of Police, Krishnankovil Police Station, Krishnankovil, daily at 10.30 am until further orders;

[c] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

[d] the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[e] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioner in accordance with law as if the 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)AIR SCW 5560].



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[f] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can

be registered under Section 269 BNS.

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TO

1. The Judicial Magistrate, Watrap,
2. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Koomapatty Police Station,
Virudunagar District.
3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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