



CRL OP(MD). No.2166 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 04/02/2026

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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... Petitioner/Accused

Vs

State of Tamilnadu Rep by ,
The Inspector of Police,
Thirugokarnam Police Station,
Pudukkottai District.
(In Crime No.9/2026)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Rameshkumar

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

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Sec.483 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Bail in Crime No.9 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police.



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ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 15.01.2026 for the offences punishable under Sections 8(c), r/w. 20(b)(ii)(B) of NDPS Act in Crime No.9 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seek bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner was found to be in illegal possession of 1.450 kilograms of ganja. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has not committed any offences as alleged by the prosecution. He further submitted that the petitioner is in judicial custody from 15.01.2026. Hence, he seeks bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that the petitioner was found to be in illegal possession of 1.450 kilograms of ganja. He further submitted that no previous case is pending against the



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petitioner. However, he opposed for grant of bail to the petitioner.

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5. Taking into consideration of the fact that there is no previous case pending against the petitioner and also considering the fact that the present case does not involve commercial quantity , this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner, subject to the following conditions:

6. Accordingly, 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 Additional District and Sessions Judge / Presiding Officer, Special Court for E.C and NDPS Cases, Pudukkottai, and on further conditions that :-

[a] the petitioner and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., until further orders.

[c] the petitioner shall not tamper with the evidence



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1. The Additional District and Sessions Judge / Presiding Officer,
Special Court for E.C and NDPS Cases, Pudukkottai.
2. The Superintendent, District Prison,
Pudukkottai.
3. The Inspector of Police,
Thirugokarnam Police Station,
Pudukkottai District.
4. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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