



CRL OP(MD). No.2838 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 11/02/2026

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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Balaji

... Petitioner/Accused

Vs

State of Tamilnadu Rep by,
The Inspector of Police,
Vachakarapatti Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
Crime No.226 of 2025.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : S.Karthikeyan,
Advocate.

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

PRAYER :-

C-6B. For Bail in Crime No.226 of 2025 on the
file of the Respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-



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2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner and the deceased are friends. The allegation against the petitioner is when the deceased and the petitioner were consuming liquor, the petitioner demanded to spencer him liquor when he refused, the petitioner stabbed him using knife on his chest and thereby caused injuries. The deceased died on the way to hospital. 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 09.12.2025. Hence, he seeks bail to the petitioner.



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4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that the petitioner has no previous cases. However, he opposed for grant of bail to the petitioner.

5. Taking into consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the period of incarceration suffered by the petitioner, 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 Judicial Magistrate No.I, Virudhunagar, Virudhunagar District, 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



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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 or witness either during investigation or trial;

[d] the petitioner shall not abscond 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 is 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,

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a fresh FIR can be registered under Section
269 BNS.

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TO

1. Judicial Magistrate No.I,
Virudhunagar, Virudhunagar District.

2.The Superintendent, Sub Jail, Virudhunagar.

3.The Inspector of Police,
Vachakkarapatti Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.

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



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