



CRL OP(MD). No.3062 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 13/02/2026

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

CRL OP(MD). No.3062 of 2026

Karuppiah

... Petitioner/Accused

Vs

State of Tamilnadu Rep by
Inspector of Police,
Nathampatti Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
Crime No. 84 of 2022.

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.Pandian M,
Advocate.

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

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No. 84 of 2022 on the file of the respondent Police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 120B, 379,



CRL OP(MD), No.3062 of 2026

395 and 447 IPC in Crime No.84 of 2022 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that due to money dispute the petitioner herein and other accused are said to have trespassed into the land belonging to the defacto complainant and cut and packed the sugarcane worth about Rs.2,70,000/-. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) submits that the petitioner herein is the owner of the vehicle and the investigation of the case is pending.

4. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent police.

5. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the fact that the petitioner is a owner of the vehicle, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner, subject to



CRL OP(MD), No.3062 of 2026

certain conditions.

WEB COPY

6. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on her appearance, on condition that the petitioner shall execute 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, Srivilliputur, Virudhunagar District within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy is made ready 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 appear before the respondent Police daily at 10.30 am for for a period of one week and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.



CRL OP(MD), No.3062 of 2026

[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].

[f]If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS.

(S S Y J)
13.02.2026

TRP



CRL OP(MD), No.3062 of 2026

TO

WEB COPY

1. Judicial Magistrate No.I, Srivilliputtur, Virudhunagar District
2. Inspector of Police, Nathampatti Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



WEB COPY



CRL OP(MD), No.3062 of 2026

S.SRIMATHY,J

TRP

ORDER
IN
CRL OP(MD) No.3062 of 2026

Date : 13/02/2026