



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.4274 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 06.04.2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. DHANABAL

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Poomurugan

... Petitioner

Vs

State of Tamil Nadu rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Nainarkoil Police Station
Ramanathapuram District.
(Crime No.69 of 2025)

...Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sathyachidambaram
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.B.Nambi Selvan
Additional Public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Sec.483 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Bail in Cr.No. 69 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 05.07.2025 for the offences punishable under Sections 5(m) r/w 6 of POCSO Act, 2012 and 65(2) of BNS Act, in Crime No.69 of 2025 on the file of the



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respondent police, seeks bail.

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2.The case of the prosecution is that **on 30.06.2025, the petitioner sexually assaulted the minor girl. The defacto complainant is the mother of the victim girl. On her complaint, the case has been registered.**

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the **petitioner is an innocent and he has not involved in any offence as alleged in the FIR. There is previous dispute between the petitioner and the defacto complainant regarding the salary. Therefore, prayed to grant bail for the petitioner.**

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent would submit that **the victim is aged about 5 years old. Initially the petitioner was detained under Act 14. Later it was revoked. Investigation in this case has been completed and final report also filed and the same was taken cognizance in Spl.S.C.No.78 of 2025 and pending for trial. In that case also LW1 to LW8 were examined. The victim was also examined and cross examined. However, the offences are grave in nature and he vehemently opposed the grant of bail to the petitioner.**



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5. This Court heard both sides and perused the materials available on record.

6. Considering the rival submissions made by the learned counsel on either side, considering the nature of allegation, already investigation is completed and the case is pending in trial stage, victim was also examined and cross examined by the accused and also considering the period of incarceration of the petitioner from 05.07.2025, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner subject to the following conditions:

[a] Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on condition to 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 **District and Sessions Judge, Fast Track Mahila Court, Ramanathapuram** and on further conditions that:

[b] the petitioner shall report before the **trial Court, namely District and Sessions Judge, Fast Track Mahila Court, Ramanathapuram, at 10.30 a.m., on all working days until further orders;**

[c] the petitioner shall not commit any offence similar to the



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offence of which he/she is accused, or suspected, or of the
commission of which he/she is suspected;

[d] the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation
or trial;

[e] the petitioner shall not directly or indirectly make any
inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts
of the case so as to dissuade her from disclosing such facts to the
Court or to any police officer or tamper with the evidence;

[f] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned
Judicial 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].

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

(P D B J)
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To

1.The District and Sessions Judge, Fast Track Mahila Court, Ramanathapuram.



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2.The Inspector of Police,
Nainarkoil Police Station, Ramanathapuram District.
(Crime No.69 of 2025)

3.The Superintendent, District Prison, Ramanathapuram.

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



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