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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 27.02.2026

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

CRL OP(MD)No. 4309 of 2026

Muhamaduabsarkhan

...Petitioner

Vs.

The State of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by the Inspector of Police,
Seithur Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
(Crime No. 66 of 2026)

... Respondent

For Petitioner : Mr.A.Manikandan

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

PRAYER :- For Anticipatory Bail in Cr.No. 66 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 8(c) read with 20(b) (ii)(A) of NDPS Act, seeks anticipatory bail.



2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner has illegally sold Ganja. Hence, a case has been registered as against the petitioner.

3. The learned Counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case and he has not committed any offence. He seeks this Court to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) appearing for the respondent submitted that it is not a commercial quantity.

5. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the fact that it is not a commercial quantity, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner with certain conditions.

6. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his 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 Judicial Magistrate Court, Rajapalayam, Virrudhunagar District, within a period of fifteen days from the date of when the order copy made ready 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 morning at 10.30 a.m., and evening at 05.30 p.m., until further orders and relaxation petition shall not be considered within a period of two months.

[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.

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1. The Inspector of Police,
Seithur Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.